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THE WEATHER.
Fair, slightly colder Thursday; Friday, fair; light north winds.
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BRACKETT AS ENVOY OF BARNES TO TAFT

Senator Going to Washington to Explain Why Machine Favors Uninstructed Delegation.

SEEKS TO STAVE OFF TROUBLE

Friends of State Chairman Declare He Is More Interested in Conservative Platform Than Candidate.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 24.—In view of disquieting reports from Washington that the forces behind President Taft in the struggle for the Presidential nomination have determined to make war on the Republican organization in this State unless guarantee is given that a delegation instructed for the President shall be sent from this State to the National Convention, the Republican leaders here have decided that it is about time President Taft should know their real attitude.

Senator Edgar T. Brackett, a Republican leader in the upper house, will go to Washington to-morrow. While there he will have a talk with Senator Root and will give him assurances to be conveyed to the President which Chairman Barnes and other State leaders believe will end all doubts and fears as to where the New York organization stands.

Senator Brackett will tell Senator Root that at the present time the organization has no candidate in view except the President. At the same time the leaders who dominate the Republican forces in this State do not take kindly just now to the suggestion that the State delegation go instructed for Mr. Taft. Senator Brackett will advise against any aggressive move against Chairman Barnes and his friends on the ground that Mr. Barnes is doing good work, with a view of uniting the factions in the State organization and paving the way for a Republican victory in this State next Fall.

Those who are in the confidence of Mr. Barnes declare that in standing out against an instructed delegation he has nothing in "the back of his head." They mean that he is not refraining from showing his hand in anticipation of a more "conservative" candidate appearing in the field to contest the claim of Taft for a renomination. Mr. Barnes holds that the platform, rather than the candidate, should be emphasized in the coming campaign. Whether it may mean victory or defeat to the party, Mr. Barnes believes that the Republicans should adopt a platform which will reassure business interests of the country, and that the candidate should be committed to it and make no attempt to incorporate in the platform any bid for the more radical vote.

Incidentally it is suggested that Mr. Barnes, in preparing to fight for a conservative platform, may have in mind the fact that the Republicans stand a better show of getting financial support in their campaign if the platform is "right." Two years ago when Col. Roosevelt figured conspicuously in the Gubernatorial campaign in this State, the Republicans were seriously hampered for lack of funds.

An up-State leader who was here to-day told THE TIMES correspondent that the stand taken by the organization against an instructed delegation should not be regarded as one of hostility toward the candidacy of President Taft. Above all, this leader said, it should not be interpreted as one of friendliness toward Col. Roosevelt.

"Should the Roosevelt movement assume serious proportions in this State before the convention is held in April," he said, "the four delegates at large, who will voice the attitude of the organization at the National Convention, would be instructed for President Taft without a moment's hesitation. There is not now any sentiment unfriendly to the President, either among the leaders or the voters. What there was of anti-Taft sentiment disappeared when the reciprocity project was knocked in the head by Canada. We have simply got to be for Taft, or start the campaign with the handicap of admitting that the President of our own party has not given the country an Administration acceptable to those of his own political faith, who might be expected to deal with him in a spirit of leniency and tolerance."

KENYON OUT FOR CUMMINS.

Colleague Backs Iowa Senator, Abandoning Cause of Taft.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 24.—The first tangible effect of Senator Cummins's open avowal of candidacy for the Republican Presidential nomination came to-day in a statement by his colleague, Mr. Kenyon, renouncing previous support of President Taft and indorsing Mr. Cummins.

Senator Kenyon was Assistant Attorney General under Taft up to two years ago. He then resigned and was chosen to fill out the unexpired term of the late Senator Dolliver, and it was assumed that, though Mr. Kenyon was moderately progressive, he would adhere to the candidacy of his former chief.

ANTI-CAPERS MEN FOR TAFT.

South Carolina Faction Indorses President for Achievements.

Special to The New York Times.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Jan. 24.—The State Executive Committee of the Republican Party, representing the Adams-Cochran-Harris faction, which is opposed to the "Lily White" faction, led by John G. Capers, National Committeeman, adopted resolutions to-day indorsing President Taft and denouncing Capers. The committee called the State Convention to meet in Columbia Feb. 29. The resolution indorsing the Administration specifically named the President's fight for a tariff board, his efforts for peace, and his attitude on the Sherman law.

It is probable that the "Lily Whites" will hold a convention of their own. United States Marshal Duncan Adams, District Attorney Cochran, and Postmaster W. L. Harris of Charleston are leaders of the opposition to Capers.

FOR ROOSEVELT CONVENTION.

Omaha Boomer Proposes Gathering to Uurge Ex-President's Cause.

Special to The New York Times.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 24.—A National Roosevelt convention will soon be called by Col. John O. Yeiser of Omaha, a boomer in the West. The convention will meet in Chicago, Indianapolis, or Cincinnati, and delegates from all States will be invited. Representation will be granted to any delegate presenting a petition from 100 signers who agree to vote for Roosevelt.

"The convention is necessary in order to form a National Roosevelt organization and to show Roosevelt that his candidacy is demanded by the people," said Col. Yeiser to-night. "The Roosevelt

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BAND SLAYS MINE OPERATOR.

Posse After Men Who Ambushed Peter Laux, Watching Gold Mine.

Special to The New York Times.

RENO, Nev., Jan. 24.—News of the ambushing and killing of Peter Laux, a mining operator, near Kennedy, arrived by courier at Winnemucca this morning.

Laux was shot yesterday afternoon as he sat guarding the portal of a tunnel on the Gold Note claim, where a strike of unusual richness was recently made. After the shooting a small boy, who had been in one of the near-by buildings, ran to a ranch some distance away and gave the alarm. He said he was within a short distance of the tunnel when there was a fusillade of shots from a clump of pinons fifty yards away, and that almost a dozen bullet marks showed on the body of the dead man.

A young cowboy mounted a pony, and started for the nearest officer, who is at Winnemucca. He made the ride over the roughest kind of a country in a little over eight hours, and without change of horses. The Sheriff and a posse of a dozen men left for Kennedy late in the afternoon.

Laux had been interested in this section for several years, and there has been trouble and killings over mining claims in that wild section. The feuds over ownership go back twenty years, and some of the most serious affairs in the State have taken place in that neighborhood.

The boy who saw the killing says he went to the place where the assassins were concealed. Several men were in the party in ambush, and at least two dozen empty shells were lying on the ground at the point where the murderers had rested their rifles.

It is certain that the posse will have a battle with the assassins. A general alarm has been sounded all through the district, and Sheriffs and other officers, aided by the mounted constabulary, are on their way to cut off all avenues of escape of the murderous band.

The region is very wild and a rendezvous of "bad men," such as infested the "Hole-in-the-Wall" country in Wyoming.

BARS MILITIA FOR CARDINAL.

Foss Forbids Troops to Parade with Arms in O'Connell Welcome.

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—It became known at the State House to-day that the Ninth Regiment of Infantry of the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia would not be permitted to participate as a State organization in the parade which is being arranged to welcome Cardinal O'Connell on his arrival from Rome.

There will be no objection to the regiment parading without arms as a voluntary organization, but Gov. Foss will refuse to allow the State arms to be carried, under an old provision which seeks to divorce Church from State.

When the proposal that the regiment should join in the welcome was made public there was a meeting of a number of evangelical ministers, and a protest was sent to the Governor. Since then many letters have been received from other ministers protesting against the parade.

On the other hand Mayor Fitzgerald, Chairman McDonald of the Democratic State Committee, and several officers of the regiment have appealed to the Governor to permit the regiment to parade.

The Rt. Rev. Mr. Anderson, Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of Boston, who is in charge of all the arrangements for the welcome, issued a statement to-night asking the Ninth Regiment to withdraw. The statement says:

"In view of some opposition to the Ninth Regiment participating as a State regiment in honor of the home-coming of William Cardinal O'Connell, I think it only proper for the sake of peace and harmony and for the general good will that the Ninth Regiment should not take part in the parade. I have therefore requested the committee to kindly have the Ninth Regiment withdraw."

EUROPE BY AIR IN FOUR DAYS.

In a Dirigible Propelled by Gasoline and Sails—So Brooklyn Men Plan.

L. L. Crane and his brother Charles, who live at 259 Ninth Street, Brooklyn, and J. L. Callahan, who lives at 327 Seventh Street, Brooklyn, have incorporated the L. L. Crane Airship Transportation Company and say they are going to carry passengers to Europe through the air. So far they admit they haven't got any further than incorporation. They have no aircraft and no promised passengers. They hope to get the aircraft soon, however.

According to L. L. Crane they are going to build a dirigible balloon 160 feet long and attach a 45-foot box kite to it. In the kite will be two 100 horse power engines. Beneath it will be swung a cabin, which will hold any seven persons Mr. Crane can get to enter it.

There will be a Captain, an engineer, and a seaman. The seaman is supposed, Mr. Crane says, to manipulate sails on the balloon whenever the wind is propitious and so save fuel for the gasolene engines. Outside of that he won't have anything to do.

Anybody who goes on the trip, which, Mr. Crane says, will be made on regular four-day schedules, will be fed on canned food with which the craft will be balasted.

The incorporators are going to try to build a model pretty soon.

BLEASE SURE HE CAN SPELL.

Tells Legislature Words Are Distorted and Denounces Newspapers.

Special to The New York Times.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Jan. 24.—Gov. Blease charges in a special message to the Legislature, calling attention to the fact that the word "explanatory" in a previous message appeared in the House Journal as "explanitory," that his spelling and use of words are being distorted to create the impression that he is illiterate.

"I presume there will be some objections to correcting your journal," says the Governor, "but I call this to your attention in order that you may see that I am still being misrepresented or intentionally misquoted."

Gov. Blease's message vetoing a libel law, in which he inveighed against the newspapers, was expurgated as unfit for publication by an overwhelming vote last night.

The Governor sent another message equally vitriolic in which he denounces newspapers, Northerners, and negroes. He asks that a committee be appointed to inform the people who burned Columbia during the civil war. Gov. Blease insists the torch was applied by Sherman's army. He wrote a letter to THE NEW YORK TIMES in regard to the matter last year.

DOG SAVES 3, DIES IN FIRE.

Faithful Terrier Thought Mistress Still in House and Lost His Life.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—"Patsy," a Skye terrier belonging to John Morrow of 2421 South Ninth Street, saved three lives this morning when his barks aroused the members of the family in time for them to escape from their burning home. "Patsy" was burned to death.

The family was asleep at 4 o'clock when "Patsy" began barking. His owner heard him and found the lower floor in flames. He aroused his children, Robert and Rachel, and got them out, but "Patsy," thinking Rachel had not escaped, stood outside of her bedroom door and barked until death came.

$85,000 IS PAID FOR COROT PAINTING

"Lake Nemi," 1865, Sold After Lively Competition at American Galleries to Westerner.

A CAZIN BRINGS $25,200

"Springtime," by Van Marcke, Sold for $9,000, and Daubigny's "Evening on the Seine" for $8,000.

A very beautiful Corot sold under the auspices of the American Art Galleries at the Plaza last evening made a record in the history of picture sales, bringing $85,000. It was "Lake Nemi," (Souvenir des Environs du Lac de Nemi,) a painting 88¾ inches in height by 52¾ in length. The lake is shown in the late afternoon light with the reflections of a low hill, which is crowned by an Italian villa upon one side and in the foreground on the other a large tree, to the lower limbs of which a nude bather is clinging.

The picture was sold through W. W. Seaman, agent, and will go to the West, possibly to Chicago. There was applause when the picture was shown and Mr. Kirby said:

"It is the grandest work of art and the most beautiful Corot ever sold."

Knoedler & Company made the opening bid of $25,000, the second bid was $26,000, the third $30,000, and five or six bidders made things lively until it reached the selling price, when there was more applause.

The picture is signed "Corot, 1865," and in that year it was exhibited at the salon, Paris. In 1884 it was purchased in New York from William Schaus, and became a part of the Mary J. Morgan collection in 1886, but in the dispersal of that famous collection it did not excite much interest.

"Bidding for it was not at all lively," said a man who was at the sale last night, and also at the Morgan sale. "The picture brought only $14,000, and I think some of the members of the family had to buy it then."

C. K. G. Billings, who was one of the bidders last night, bought the Corot, "La Charette," for $30,000, which was the second highest price given in the sale of the John T. Martin pictures in April, 1909. Most of the bidders stopped last night when the price reached $5,000. Mr. Billings was one of the bidders on the picture which brought the second highest price of the evening, a beautiful Cazin, "Home of the Artist at Ecouen," which went to Otto Bernet, agent, for $25,200. This is for a New York collector. Mr. Billings bid up to the selling price.

"Sunset After a Storm," by Diaz, went to R. D. Williams for $6,000; "Springtime," by Van Marcke, to the same buyer for $9,000; George B. Horse gave $8,000 for Daubigny's "Evening on the Seine," and William A. Cromwell $5,000 for Schreyer's "Arab Scout."

The Corot was from the collection of the late Mrs. Alice Newcomb, and the Cazin from the estate of the late George Crocker. The sale included the pictures from the estates of Mrs. Emily H. Moir and Frederic Bonner. The Grand Ball Room of the Plaza, where the sale was held, was crowded throughout the evening.

Following is the list of pictures bringing more than $500, with names of artists, buyers, and prices:

Child's Head, Ludwig Knaus; W. W. Seaman	3,800
Shoveling Snow, Blommers; George D. Horst	1,000
The Strolling Players, Zamacois; R. D. Williams	1,900
Holland Meadows, Weissenbruck; R. C. Vose, Boston	675
A Donkey, Antoine Vollon; H. N. Sparder	725
Edge of the Woods, Diaz; Harrison Williams	2,750
Boats on the Shore, Daubigny; Mrs. Fred F. Thompson	3,400
Evening on the Seine, Daubigny; G. D. Horst	8,000
Shepherdess and Sheep, Jacque; George Busse	1,350
Venus and Cupids, Diaz; George Petit Galleries	5,100
Sheep in Stable, Jacque; Boussod, Valadon & Co.	4,300
Landscape Near Ville D'Avray; Corot; G. W. Busse	2,300
Sunset After a Storm, Diaz; R. D. Williams	6,000
Noank Hillside, Charles H. Davis; Kennedy & Co.	950
Portrait of a Lady, Flemish School; Mrs. Albert Flake	400
The Ladies Arundel, Sir Thomas Lawrence; Mrs. Lattimer	1,500
Le Duc de Bassompierre, Jacob Van Loo; E. M. Hodgins	400
The Empress Josephine, John Hoppner; Edward Brandus	1,000
Portrait in Red, Francois de Troy; O. Bernet	1,100
Portrait of David Garrick, Thomas Gainsborough; W. W. Seaman	4,500
Lord Melbourne—Sir Joshua Reynolds; J. Singleton	1,100
"Thoughtful"—Henner; W. C. Taylor	1,100
A French Republican, 1795—Thomas Couture; Knoedler & Co.	850
Springtime—Van Marcke; Mr. Williams	9,000
Lake Nemi—Corot; W. W. Seaman, agent	85,000
Trouville—Louis Eugene Boudin; George B. Horst	400
Harbor Scene—Boudin; A. M. Hudson	1,000
Cherbourg—Boudin; R. L. Glendining	825
Breck-sur-mer—Boudin; R. C. Vose, Boston	925
Coast Scene—Boudin; Durand Ruel	550
Cliffs at Villerville—Boudin; Durand Ruel	700
St. Vaast—Boudin; Henry Ludlow	675
Gamaret Harbor—Boudin; Mrs. F. Brown	700
West Wind, Havre—Boudin; W. W. Seaman, agent	1,100
Les Jardins de L'Infante—Claude Monet; Durand Ruel	4,100
Near Vernon—Claude Monet; Durand Ruel	2,000
The Brook—John Henry Twachtman; J. Nimmo	2,400
Willimantic Thread Factory—Julian Alden Weil, N. A.; R. L. Glendening	600
An Arab Scout—Adolph Schreyer; William A. Cromwell	5,000
The Dead Lion—Gerome; William A. Cromwell	1,900
The Botanist at Lunch—Benjamin Vautier; R. D. Williams	1,900
The Canon's Dinner—Vibert; P. W. Rouss	3,350
Flowers—Jean Baptiste Robie; R. H. Lorenz	700
The Golden Hour—William Keith; Henry Reinhardt	600
Rock Island—Frederick Ballard Williams; Harrison Williams	575
Bachelor Life, Erskine Nicol; Mrs. J. A. Brown	850
Adoration, A. Piot; Glendenning	300
Cupid, Bouguereau; William A. Cromwell	2,550
Music, Giovanni Boldini; Lattimer	3,100
No Man's Land, Alexander Wyant; Knoedler & Co.	6,500
Daybreak, Dwight William Tryon; Knoedler & Co.	3,000
Miranda, Louis Loeb; W. T. Evans	950
English Coast—Penzance, George Innes; Henry Schultheis	1,100
Noank Hills—Charles H. Davis; R. C. Vose	700
Moorish Street Scene—Edwin Lord Weeks; O. Bernet	1,175
Hunting—Kowalski; A. Jaretski	1,250
Home of the Artist at Ecouen—Cazin; O. Bernet	25,200
Still Life—Jean Baptiste Robie; Henry Rhinhardt	900
Meditation—Alexandre Cabanel; O. Bernet	700
Amour Voltigeant sur les Eaux, Bouguereau; Mrs. La Himer	2,700
Sleeping Vestal, Hector Leroux; B. C. Collins	825
A Spanish Courtyard, H. Humphrey Moore; Henry Rhemlic	275
Susanne, Jean Gustave Jacquet; Mrs. J. A. Brown	425
French Wedding Procession; Frederik Hendrik Kaemmerer; P. H. Dugro	1,450

The total for the pictures from the four estates was $296,000.

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THE HARDSHIP OF FASHIONS

How the present day styles have thrown thousands out of work will be told in an interesting article in

NEXT SUNDAY'S TIMES

ITALY STILL OPPOSES THE FRENCH DEMAND

Negotiations Said to be Cordial, but the Rome Government Holds to Its Position.

AGAIN OFFERS ARBITRATION

And Is Willing to Pay Indemnity If Error Was Committed in Seizure of the Turks on the Manouba.

ROME, Jan. 24.—The detention of twenty-nine Turks, said to be members of the Red Crescent Society, by the Italian authorities, who captured them on the French steamer Manouba, was fully discussed at conferences to-day between Premier Giolitti, Foreign Minister di San Giuliano, and the French Ambassador, Camille Barrère.

The conferences are said to have been very cordial, but the Turks are still held under arrest at Cagliari, Sardinia.

Italy maintains her right to capture and search ships of neutral nations suspected of carrying contraband of war. This has been the course followed not only in the case of French steamers, but also with British, German, and Austrian vessels. It is pointed out that other nations have acted similarly in recent years, and that Italy is ready to submit the cases to The Hague Tribunal and pay indemnity if an error has been committed.

Italy does not, however, admit any limitation of the right of search. It is her intention to protect her army.

So far as the Italian authorities will speak, the examination of the Turks in question seems to have proved that both doctors and nurses were included in the group of prisoners, but it is suspected that the object of their presence was to distract attention from others, who are believed to be Turkish officers, as they were in possession of arms, maps, and a check for a large sum of money.

Italian officials call attention to the fact that another alleged Red Crescent expedition was once halted in Egypt by Lord Kitchener and sent back, as it was composed of belligerents.

Italy admits that France is administering her duty admirably as a neutral power, but urges that France should not resent the wish on the part of Italy, even if a mistake is made, to exercise what she considers to be her right, as neither France nor any other Nation can guarantee that, in applying all possible measures to observe strict neutrality, she may not be deceived.

The result of the conference has been reported to the French Government, and so far the two countries have been animated by such a conciliatory spirit that it is expected that a satisfactory solution will soon be found. At the interview to-day the Foreign Minister expressed his regret that the incident should even have threatened the existing cordial relations between France and Italy.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—The Foreign Office to-night received a dispatch from M. Barrère, the Ambassador at Rome, reporting the result of the interview which the Ambassador had to-day with the Marquis di San Giuliano.

While maintaining the strictest reserve as to what passed, the Foreign Office declares that the pourparlers with reference to the Turkish prisoners taken by the Italian authorities from the French steamer Manobua, have made good progress, and says it continues to hope that a satisfactory solution will be reached.

LONDON, Thursday, Jan. 25.—So far no action has been announced by the British Government in regard to the seizure by the Italians of a number of Turkish officers, including the famous Col. Riza Bey, from the British steamer Africa in the Red Sea.

As the Declaration of London, which would permit such seizure, has not been ratified by Great Britain, a move may be made by the British Government at any time.

The stoppage of the Austrian Lloyd steamer Bregenz on Tuesday in the Red Sea is regarded here as likely to lead to an exchange of views between Austria and Italy.

ROCKEFELLER GIFT HELD UP.

Bids for New Headless Horseman Bridge Too High, Donor Says.

Special to The New York Times.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Jan. 24.—William Rockefeller, who has agreed to give a new Headless Horseman bridge to the village of North Tarrytown, in place of the old one, which now spans the Pocantico River, has rejected all the bids received for the structure because they were too high.

When North Tarrytown called a special election a few months ago to brick Broadway Mr. Rockefeller offered $10,000 to memory of the famous author. Plans were prepared and he approved them. The estimates were opened recently, and the bids ran up to $26,000.

Mr. Rockefeller announced to-day that he was not willing to spend more than $15,000, and ordered the engineer to prepare new plans for estimate. The old Headless Horseman bridge is narrow and unsafe. It is at a bad curve in the road, and is dangerous for heavy automobile traffic.

Latest Shipping News.

ARRIVED—SS Caracas, Curacao, Jan. 18. SS Concho, Key West, Jan. 21. SS Braunfels, Boston, Jan. 23. SS Philadelphia, Southampton, Jan. 17. SS Ancon, Cristobal, Jan. 16.

Hereafter routine records under the following headlines will appear in the first column of the next to the last page of The Times:

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- Yesterday's Fires.
- Police and Fire Transfers.
- Board of Education.
- The Civil Service.
- The United Service.

WOMEN FIGHT MEN IN MILL EXPLOSION

Girl Cartridge Maker, Flung 30 Feet, Crushed to Death Against Wall.

PROTEST AGAINST THE WORK

Panic-Stricken Employes of Perth Amboy Plant Declare They Will Give Up Their Jobs.

Special to The New York Times.

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., Jan. 24.—Panic-stricken by an explosion which occurred late this afternoon in the packing department of the United States Cartridge Company in the outskirts of this city, more than a hundred girls employed on the second floor where the explosion took place were forced to battle with a score of machinists from an adjoining section of the building in order to make their escape. The 800 hands at work in the factory were saved only by the prompt action of two workmen who placed a muffling cap over the magazine vault in which thousands of cartridges and loaded shells were stored.

Marjorie Kellnar, 19 years old, who had charge of the packing machine where the explosion took place, was killed. Twelve of the girls, regularly employed in the same row of machines in which the victim was stationed, escaped death by mere chance, having been sent by the Superintendent of the department to an adjoining room a few minutes before the accident, to assort empty cartridge shells of various sizes. All of the machines at which these girls would have been otherwise employed were wrecked by the explosion and the air was filled with bits of flying metal and shattered glass which drove the remaining occupants of the room in terror toward the door leading to the stairway.

At the door they were met, according to statements made by several of the girls last night, by more than a score of stalwart machinists, who attempted to block the passage way and force the girls back into the packing room, which was then an inferno of popping cartridges and scattering shot. By sheer superiority of numbers and with the desperate energy inspired by terror, the girls drove the men back foot by foot until the foremost of the frightened host gained the stairway. Then the panic became general, and men and girls alike joined in a stampede for safety.

Girl's Body Hurled 30 Feet.

After the entire building had been emptied of its occupants a hurried count revealed the fact that three of the girls employed in the packing department were missing. Two of the more chivalrous machinists, Joe Yorke and Edward Toun, volunteered to re-enter the factory in quest of them. They found the body of Miss Kellnar more than 30 feet away from the machine, at which she had been working. The force of the concussion had hurled her against the concrete wall of the building. Almost every bone in her body was broken and her head was crushed.

Lillian Schuyler, 19 years old, of 215 Hall Avenue and her sister, Mollie, 24, who were at work side by side in the nearest row of machines, a few feet from the spot where Miss Kellnar had been working, were found lying in a corner, where they had been thrown, unconscious. They were quickly removed from the building and were revived by physicians. Neither was seriously injured.

Three distinct reports were heard by those at work in the building, and in all more than 15,000 loaded shells were destroyed. These shells were packed in large shipping cases, and it is believed that the first concussion led to the succeeding explosions. None of the officials of the company would discuss the accident to-night, and the cause of the explosion is not known.

Capt. Thomas B. Doe, John J. Harper, and William Doe, members of the firm, were in the office on the ground floor directly beneath the room in which the explosion took place, and narrowly escaped injury from the flying glass and shattered concrete. Every pane of glass was broken by the explosion, and the detonation could be heard for a distance of fifteen miles. The damage to the building will exceed $5,000.

Drs. William E. Ramsay, Charles I. Silk, George Fithian and Frank C. Henry responded to hurried summons by telephone and attended more than a score of girls and workmen who were cut and bruised by flying débris. The names of the workmen who closed the muffling cap upon the magazine after the first explosion shook the factory could not be learned. It is certain, however, that these men saved the lives of many employes on the upper floors, who could not have escaped had the contents of the huge magazine been exploded.

Miss Marjorie Kellnar was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kellnar of Sixth and South Streets, Perth Amboy. Her two sisters were also employed in the building, but were at work in the shot tower when the explosion took place. The force of the three concussions threw them from the stationary benches upon which they were seated and filled the air with small shot, but they escaped serious injury. When they learned of their sister's death the two girls became hysterical and, attended by physicians, were removed to their home in a carriage.

The steel airshaft on the side of the shot tower was blown out, and sections of it were hurled for a distance of more than 100 feet. The three shocks of the explosion were plainly distinguished for a radius of more than a mile, but in the outskirts of the city and in adjoining towns the detonation appeared to be that of a single explosion. Telegraph and telephone wires were blown down, and the trolley service throughout the city was impaired for several hours.

Girls Protest Against the Work.

A committee of thirty girls who were employed in the same room with Miss Kellnar assembled to-night at the home of the victim and signed a petition begging their fellow-employes not to return to work in the factory. Among the girls who attended the meeting were the two Schuyler girls, who had so narrowly escaped death in the explosion.

Miss Hannah Howard, who was as a rule engaged as a "tender" on the machine which Miss Kellnar operated, was also at the meeting. She explained that she had been sent to the ground floor a few minutes before the explosion for two cans of black powder. She was most energetic in urging her fellow-employes not to return to the factory.

The girls said they were paid $6 a week, and those who attended the meeting were emphatic in declaring that they would not resume work to-morrow. They said that the explosion was caused by the ignition of the powder in a magazine funnel attached to the machine which Miss Kellnar was operating. This funnel automatically supplies the proper loading of powder to each successive cartridge and drops the wadding in place. The girls stated that directly following the first explosion a tongue of blue flame shot across the room, igniting the powder in the funnels of other machines and causing a prolonged and heavy detonation, which hurled them from their seats.

Ask for ANTEDILUVIAN WHISKEY and begin to enjoy your whiskey. Luyties Bros., New York.—Adv.

REFUSES MURDERER'S ARM.

Surgeon Disgusted by Patient on Whom Experiment Was to be Tried.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—A well-known French surgeon has a number of patients who have lost limbs and are willing to undergo the experiment of the grafting of other limbs on their bodies in place of those lost.

After considerable difficulty the surgeon obtained for one patient the promise of the left arm of a butcher named Renard, who was guillotined last week.

To the surgeon's dismay, however, the patient for whom the limb was destined flatly refused to have a murderer's arm grafted on him. He declared there was no knowing what risk he might run, and would prefer to continue with one arm rather than stand the chance of ruining his disposition by going through life with a criminal's arm.

3 FINGERS WORTH $4,000.

Workman Gets Large Award from Court for Lost Digits.

Special to The New York Times.

YORK, Penn., Jan. 24.—The local court decided here this afternoon that three fingers belonging to William H. Powell were worth $4,000, and it awarded him that amount of damages.

Powell was employed at the S. Morgan Smith Company's plant. A traveling crane rolled over his fingers and cut them off, so he brought suit.

SENATOR GRADY WORSE.

Removed Last Night from His Home to a Private Sanitarium.

State Senator Thomas F. Grady was taken last night from his home, 151 West Thirtieth Street, to a private sanitarium. The Senator has been confined to his home suffering from diabetes for the last four months. He was up and about the house much of the time, and about a month ago he announced that he had no idea of giving up politics and expected soon to return to Albany and resume his duties as a legislator.

Senator Grady is 58 years old, and was first elected to the Senate in 1882. He was retired in 1884 at the end of the term. In 1896, after several years' service as a Police Magistrate, he was returned to the Senate, and has been there ever since.

SMITH WEED ILL AT WALDORF.

Proprietor Boldt is Giving Him Special Attention.

Smith M. Weed, who is familiarly referred to as the Nestor of Democracy in New York State, is ill at the Hotel Waldorf. He is suffering from a severe cold which he contracted several days ago. Owing to the severity of his illness, his son, George S. Weed, was sent for and joined him at the Waldorf late yesterday evening. A warm personal friendship has existed between Mr. Weed and George Boldt for many years, and when he learned of Mr. Weed's illness Mr. Boldt had him removed to the best quarters in the house, so that his recovery might be more speedy.

Mr. Weed was greatly improved last night.

BEGGAR USES KNIFE.

Alms Refused, He Slashes Probationary Officer Dudley and Escapes.

A beggar accosted Roger Dudley, a probationary officer in the Magistrates' Courts, at Bowery and Third Street last night and when Mr. Dudley refused to give him five cents stabbed him above the left eye and beneath the chin with a small penknife. The blows knocked Mr. Dudley down and the man ran.

The probationary officer chased him a block, but the man escaped in a hallway. Mr. Dudley said that no one seemed to have seen the stabbing and when he [illegible] to his home, 514 East 188th Street, the Bronx. There Dr. Wurst of Lincoln Hospital treated him. His wounds are deep, but not serious.

CAT WINS FIGHT WITH FOX.

Corners Its Opponent Until Its Master Arrives with an Axe Handle.

Toots, a big tomcat owned by Robert Doran, living on St. Joseph Street, New Rochelle, fought a fox yesterday and cornered it in the wood shed, keeping the animal at bay until Mr. Doran killed it with an axe handle. The fox, which wandered from the woods near the Iselin preserve, dashed through St. Joseph Street and into the Doran yard.

Toots was sitting on the kitchen tubs and leaped through the window, breaking the glass, and was on the fox's neck before it had gone one hundred feet. There was a fight that lasted ten minutes, when the fox turned and fled, seeking shelter in the woodshed. Both animals were bleeding, but ready to spring at each other when Mr. Doran reached the woodshed. He intends to have the skin made into a muff.

IT WAS THE "CHICKEN TROT"

And Not the "Turkey Trot" That Was Danced at the Rubinstein Club.

Over the telephone wire into THE TIMES office, in a tone ominously aggrieved, a voice came yesterday.

"I am one of the ushers of the Rubinstein Club," it said, and went on to complain of the account in THE TIMES of that day in which it was set forth that the "Turkey Trot" had proved to most of the 800-odd dancers at the club's third annual dance in the grand ballroom of the Waldorf the night before a fascinating mystery, which they had spent the better part of the evening trying to solve.

The voice lost no time in making it clear that there was deep displeasure in the ranks of the Rubinstein Club.

"But," the voice was asked, "didn't the article specify that the 'Turkey Trot' as danced at the Waldorf was so graceful and pretty that it was as unobjectionable as a two-step or waltz?"

"Yes, but the Rubinstein Club was displeased."

"But, as a matter of fact, hadn't the couples danced the 'Turkey Trot'?"

"No, it wasn't the 'Turkey Trot,'" came the explanation. "This dance wasn't the same exactly. The steps are shorter and—"

"What was it they danced, then?" was asked, and in the answer there was brought to light a new dance to add to the growing list of the "Bunny Hug," the "Turkey Trot," the "Grizzly Bear" and such like.

"They danced the 'Chicket Trot,'" said the voice.

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REIGN OF TERROR FEARED IN CHINA

Deadlock Between Imperialists and Republicans Continues—Situation Very Critical.

SUN AND YUAN NOW RIVALS

A Determined Struggle Going on in the Ranks of the Republicans.

THREATS OF ASSASSINATION

Tang and Wu Get Warnings—Rebels Demand $7,000,000 of China Merchants' Steamship Company.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 24.—The situation is intensely critical. It is feared that political ambitions will plunge China into a terrible civil war.

The deadlock between the imperialists and the republicans has not been broken, though negotiations continue and many telegrams are exchanged. The peace commissioners are reticent.

Behind the veil a determined internal struggle is going on in the ranks of the republicans. The pretended harmony among them does not really exist.

The issue is no longer the form of government, but who is to be President—Sun Yat-Sen or Yuan Shi-Kai.

Political terrorism prevails. The revelation of the real cause of the hitch has brought the fear that prominent republican officials will reveal the whole circumstances. Tang Shao-Yi and Wu Ting-Fang have received terrorist warnings not to talk.

The coincidence of the attempt to assassinate Yuan Shi-Kai with the changed republican demands is regarded as significant. The perpetrators of the crime have confessed and are believed to have named prominent republicans as their accomplices.

It is asserted that fear of Yuan Shi-Kai's vengeance if he should become President has been spread in order to prevent an agreement.

THOMAS F. MILLARD.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 24.—Huang-Sing, the Republican Minister of War, to-day made a demand upon the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company for 10,000,000 taels (approximately $7,000,000.)

In the event of failure by the company to produce the sum the company's vessels will be commandeered by the Republican Government and sold.

The Directors of the company have asked the War Minister for time to consult their stockholders.

PEKING, Jan. 24.—Two thousand imperial troops stationed at the city of Siang-Yang, in the Province of Hu-Peh to the northwest of Hankow, are reported to have revolted in favor of the republic.

The excitement in Peking is diminishing owing to the slowness of developments, and the precautions for Premier Yuan Shi-Kai's safety have been relaxed, as the threats against him have not materialized.

Persistent reports that the Japanese are assisting the Manchus are said in authoritative circles to be utterly unfounded.

LONDON, Thursday, Jan. 25.—The American Minister at Peking has called in all Americans living in outlying parts of the city, according to a news agency dispatch from Tien-Tsin yesterday.

Information obtained from an authoritative source confirms the report of the intention of Premier Yuan Shi-Kai to leave Peking at the first favorable opportunity, according to another dispatch from Tien-Tsin. Yuan intends to take up his residence in the British concession in that city.

The sale of the imperial treasures at Peking has commenced, says a dispatch to The Daily Telegraph, but the Princes are withholding the best china and are demanding fabulous prices. An American expert who has just returned from examining the treasures in the imperial palace at Mukden says that 40,000 pieces of porcelain there are worthless, the best specimens having been removed or stolen.

PARIS, Thursday, Jan. 25.—A secret conference was held at Peking yesterday, says a Peking dispatch to the European edition of The New York Herald. At it the ex-Regent, Prince Chun; Prince Tsai-Siun, and Prince Tsai-Tao urged the Empress Dowager to invoke Japanese aid to suppress the revolution.

The Empress Dowager favored the suggestion and instructed the Princes to ascertain its practicability.

The Cabinet is indignant at the suggestion, and it is doubtful whether Japan would entertain it.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—A telegram from Peking to The Chicago Daily News says: "Willard D. Straight, agent for J. Pierpont Morgan, leaves Peking to-morrow for Nanking, the capital of the Provisional Republican Government. This is causing considerable speculation as to whether the American capitalist is preparing to finance the revolutionists.

"Coupled with Japan's apparent willingness to assist the dynasty with military force, this move becomes significant. Considering the approaching bankruptcy of the Manchu Government and the financial weakness of Japan, it is hardly probable that Japan would wage war against the Chinese Republic were the latter supported by American capital.

"Premier Yuan Shi-Kai's entourage is greatly concerned over the report that Japan is willing to support the unpopular dynasty. The strain is beginning to tell on Yuan, who suffers from insomnia.

"Pu-Yi, the boy Emperor, utterly oblivious of China's troubles, romps in the palace courtyards, chasing a pack of hounds with a whip. He takes his meals alone, attended by a eunuch, who is his only companion. The mother of the Emperor is never allowed to see him, and his father only at audiences, when he must kneel before his son. The Emperor is high-tempered, and throws the dishes at the eunuchs when the food displeases him. He is never punished, and is reprimanded only by his tutors."

TAFT SENTIMENT GROWING IN EAST

President's Friends Hear Business Interests, Leaning to Roosevelt, Have Changed.

SENATORS COMBINE FOR HIM

Penrose, Crane, and Smoot to Smooth Over Opposition to Taft in Their Respective States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Circumstances of decided importance brought joy to the hearts of the Taft managers and supporters in Washington to-day. They were, first, the report on what is unusually well-founded authority that there has been a change of heart with regard to the renomination and re-election of the President among some of the business interests of the Eastern States, which have been active heretofore in helping to spread the propaganda for Col. Roosevelt. The second was the agreement of some of the President's friends in the Senate of wide political influence and experience to effect a volunteer organization of their own for the furtherance of the Taft campaign. These developments came directly after the news from Coalgate, Okla., where, despite the most vigorous Rough Rider tactics yesterday, the Roosevelt men made a lamentable failure of their attempt to take the Fourth Congressional District Convention away from Taft.

Now comes a vigorous denial through Senator Penrose of the widely heralded report that State Senator Sproul of Chester, Penn., had declared in favor of the nomination of Col. Roosevelt. Much emphasis had been laid upon this alleged indorsement of Roosevelt by Mr. Sproul because he has been widely known as a strong lieutenant of Senator Penrose, and the general impression was that he was Mr. Penrose's favorite for the Governorship of the Keystone State at the next election.

Pro-Roosevelt sentiment developing in Pennsylvania and other States and the declarations of Republican machine politicians in different sections of the country for the candidacy of Col. Roosevelt have forced the friends of the President to become aggressive. Up to this time they have remained passive, while the Roosevelt and La Follette boomers have been active.

Friends of the Administration were surprised at the announcement that Gov. Hadley of Missouri had come out in support of the nomination of Col. Roosevelt. Gov. Hadley's support had been counted upon by political advisers of President Taft.

When the Missouri Governor was in Washington several weeks ago it was announced that he had practically pledged himself to support Mr. Taft for renomination. So confident were the political advisers of the President that Gov. Hadley was working in his interest that Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel, who comes from St. Louis, practically surrendered State leadership to the Governor.

A change of policy has now been decided upon and the fight will be waged with earnestness from now on. It is expected that Taft headquarters will be opened here shortly. Some of the Taft supporters say that Charles D. Hilles may resign as secretary to the President to become actual manager of the Taft campaign.

Senators Penrose of Pennsylvania, Crane of Massachusetts, and Scott of Utah held a conference at the capital to-day and outlined a plan of campaign. They have resolved themselves into a committee to look after the political interests of the President, and other friends of Taft in the Senate and House will be associated with them. They will have no manager with that title. The movement is simply an organized effort of the President's friends in Congress to obtain expression of the public's wishes in the form of delegates to the National Convention and to disabuse the public mind of the idea that the noise stirred up by the insurgent element threatens the renomination of the President.

In view of this attitude, it is said that the interests supposed to be connected with the United States Steel Corporation and who are under suspicion of having stimulated the Roosevelt boom will break away from the Roosevelt propaganda and resign themselves to the situation.

Much Rooseveltism exists in Pennsylvania. The Vares are known to be favorable to his nomination. Richard R. Quay, son of the late Senator Quay, Frank J. Torrance, and former State Senator Flinn of Pittsburgh, and more recently, William H. Coleman, Clerk of the Allegheny County Courts, and for many years the campaign manager of Congressman Dalzell, have announced their preference for Col. Roosevelt. The first three in the Pittsburgh group will seek election to the National Convention as Roosevelt delegates. Whether this condition in Pennsylvania is due to opposition to Senator Penrose, who is supporting Taft, or arises out of a desire to nominate a candidate for President thought to be stronger than Taft is not altogether apparent at this time.

Representative D. F. Lafean of New York to-day called at the White House to show the President a letter he had received from a Democratic manufacturer of his district. The letter said:

"I find the trend toward President Taft is growing. No Executive has ever more earnestly, patiently, effectively, and intelligently performed his duty than Mr. Taft. You know I am not a Republican, but I support President Taft because I think he will do more for the interests of the country than any one else."

HADLEY DIDN'T FAVOR TAFT.

Wrong Story Sent From Washington That He Did, He Says.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 24.—Gov. Hadley stated to-day that he had made no statement in Washington or elsewhere that he favored the renomination of Mr. Taft.

The Governor said the story was printed during his visit to Washington, and was sent out by the correspondent of a St. Louis paper, whom he took to task before leaving. The correspondent defended his action by saying he had not quoted Gov. Hadley, but had credited him with being out for Mr. Taft's renomination under the belief that such was the case.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 24.—Charles D. Nagel, Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor, and Gov. Hadley of Missouri, are to speak at a dinner to the members of the Missouri Republican Editorial Association and the Republican Central Committee here on Friday night.

ROOSEVELT A VERY BUSY MAN.

Nobody Knows What About, but It Brings Him to Town Every Day.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, whose opinion as to who should be nominated by the Republican National Convention at Chicago next June is greatly desired in certain quarters, is spending much of his time in the city these days. Time was when the Colonel journeyed from Sagamore Hill to The Outlook offices twice a week, on Tuesdays and Fridays. For the past few weeks, however, he has been in the city almost daily, and it has been intimated that he is here mostly on political matters. The Colonel has not denied this.

The Colonel spent a busy time at The Outlook offices yesterday. Among his early callers were Otto F. Karbe, Secretary of the One Million Club of St. Louis, Mo., and Isaac Hedges, also of that city. They wanted the Colonel to speak at a Washington's Birthday dinner in St. Louis, but the Colonel suavely declined the invitation. It was reported by several who heard the greeting between the Colonel and his St. Louis friends that the Colonel said:

"I see they are doing things out in Missouri."

Nobody would risk sponsorship for the remark, however.

The Colonel was more affable to reporters than he has been in many days. He beamed upon them when they invaded his office yesterday, but to the broadside of questions fired at him he only laughed good naturedly. He wouldn't comment when the news of the progress of his Presidential boom in various States, notably in Missouri and Oklahoma, was communicated to him.

"When I have a statement to make you will know it in advance," was all the comfort the reporters got.

Ormsby McHarg of 52 William Street, the lawyer who was in charge of the rounding up of the Southern delegates for President Taft in 1908, and who has just returned from St. Louis, had something to say about the Roosevelt boom, which he is accused of assisting. Promoting the Roosevelt boom in Missouri, he said, was like pushing a street car down hill. "The people out there want Roosevelt and won't stand for any one else," he said. He denied that he had been rounding up Southern delegates at the request of Postmaster General Hitchcock. Said he:

"I have never been in Frank Hitchcock's office since he has been Postmaster General. I have never presented any matter to the Post Office Department relative to the magazine publishers, as I saw alleged in a morning newspaper, and I have never had any business of a personal nature in the Post Office since Hitchcock has been in office.

"About two years ago I asked a mutual friend to go to Hitchcock and ask him not to mention the subject of politics to me. I was not in sympathy with the policies of the Administration and I didn't want to get tied up with him in any way.

"The story that I have been to Washington to see Hitchcock lately is as false as anything that was ever stated. It's a deliberate effort to try to discredit me by making me a party to his alleged treason.

"I want to say right here that I have never done any political work at Mr. Hitchcock's request. Four years ago I did work in the South and West for Taft, but I did it at President Roosevelt's request. I gave a whole year to that work, and Mr. Roosevelt was the only man that ever thanked me for it. Taft never did, although I was the first to get the organization in the South into solid shape.

"I have a very strong feeling of personal friendship for Col. Roosevelt that runs back to the days when I knew him on his ranch in Dakota Territory."

UPHOLDS GOV. WILSON.

Indianapolis News Defends His Break With Col. Harvey.

Special to The New York Times.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 24.—The Indianapolis News, discussing the Harvey-Wilson episode, refers to the report that Thomas F. Ryan stood ready to finance the Wilson campaign, and adds:

"If he could only have persuaded himself that the various trusts with which Ryan has been and is identified were 'good trusts' he might have taken another view. But he is, as Col. Watterson says, only a 'schoolmaster,' and so, of course, could not be expected to have 'practical' ideas.

"The great question before the people now, as always, is not one of policies—not even 'my policies'—but of principles, and principles of a singularly simple and fundamental type. 'Schoolmaster' Wilson is unwilling to have any liens on his administration if he is called to the task of forming one. He is unwilling to run with the hare and hunt with the hounds. The 'schoolmaster' may not win the Presidency, but he has won the confidence and respect of the American people. The contrast between the two eminent men is startling, and it is wholly favorable to the 'schoolmaster.' By his action he has gone far in the direction of insuring a campaign utterly divorced from the contaminating money of the interests. The shameful experience of 1904, when Theodore Roosevelt was a candidate, will not this year be repeated."

ROYALTY DINED IN BOWER OF ROSES

Gold Service and 1,700 Radiance Roses Decorated Tables at Home of Mrs. Ogden Mills.

DUKE HAS VISITORS' BOOK

Party Visits Stock Exchange and Mills Hotel No. 3—To-day Duke Goes to Washington.

The Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia spent a good part of the third day of their visit to New York as the guests of Ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid sightseeing. They visited Wall Street and the Stock Exchange, the new Public Library, and Mills Hotel No. 3 at Seventh Avenue and Thirty-sixth Street, the third of the hotels built in this city by the late D. O. Mills for men of small means.

At noon yesterday they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt at luncheon at 677 Fifth Avenue.

Last night Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills entertained the Ducal party at a dinner, which was followed by a musicale at her town house, 2 East Sixty-ninth Street.

There were thirty-six guests at Mrs. Vanderbilt's luncheon, and the table was decorated with violets, 38,000 violets being used for the occasion. The violet is Princess Patricia's favorite flower.

The decorations at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mills last night were lavish, the two tables at which the sixty dinner guests were seated fairly blooming with the new Radiance rose, 1,700 of these flowers being used on the tables alone. These roses are cerise in color, and are delightfully fragrant.

The table service was of gold, including twenty-eight centrepieces and the huge twelve-branched candelabra. In the very centre of each table stood a rose tree in a tall vase of gold.

The entire house was brightened by cut flowers in silver vases, American Beauty roses, lilies of the valley, orchids, and lilac blossoms being used in great profusion.

Additional guests were asked in by Mrs. Mills for the musicale which followed the dinner, from 10 to 11 o'clock. Mme. Maeterlinck and Efrem Zimbalist were the artists. Mme. Maeterlinck wore an Italian robe of scarlet and gold and old lace, and a cap of gold. She sang several songs of Schubert and Schumann, translated from the German by her husband, and other songs by Maeterlinck, including "Les Trois Coeurs Aveugles," "L'Intruse," "Si'l Revenait un Jour," and "Les Trois Couronnes d'Or."

Mr. Zimbalist played, among other selections, an aria by Bach, an old French song, a German dance by Dittergorf, and compositions by Hubay and Cuy.

At the dinner, besides the royal party and Ambassador and Mrs. Reid, there were present Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gray Griswold, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Justice and Mrs. Francis Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. D. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies, Miss Evelyn Burden, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goelet, and Mr. and Mrs. Ogden L. Mills.

The Ambassador was the first to leave the house, about 10:45 o'clock, and the Duke and Duchess and the Princess and party left shortly afterward.

The additional guests asked in for the musicale included Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard M. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Miss Mabel Gerry, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitehouse, Mr. and Mrs. Egerton Winthrop, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas Sloane, Philip Lydig, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas, Creighton Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills Reid, A. S. Cochran, Miss Edith Marshall, and John R. Pope.

Ballroom Used for Musicale.

The dinner guests began arriving at 8 o'clock, Mrs. Mills receiving them in the Red Room on the first floor, to the left of the large hall, which was decorated with palms and azaleas. At 8:30 the Duke and Duchess and Princess Patricia and their party arrived with Ambassador and Mrs. Reid. After presentations were over the royal party and the other guests passed into the dining room with its subdued ceiling lights and gleaming candelabra.

The musicale was held in the ballroom on the second floor, the drawing room and Gray Room being used to accommodate a few additional guests who arrived after the dinner. Smilax and palms were used as decorations here, the large crystal chandeliers adding to the brilliancy of the assembly, the display of diamonds being especially lustrous.

Duke Out Early for Constitutional.

The Duke started his third day by an early morning constitutional, leaving the residence of Ambassador Reid shortly after 7 o'clock, accompanied by his military aid, Capt. Rivers-Bulkeley. He strolled down Fifth Avenue just as the early-morning workers were hurrying to the shops, pausing now and then to look into some shop window.

At Forty-second Street the Duke and his aid turned west as far as Times Square. From here, after gazing up and down Broadway, and at the Subway giving forth a black stream of workers, they walked briskly down Broadway to Twenty-third Street. The big stores were just being opened, and the Duke then decided to explore the shopping district, walking several blocks down Sixth Avenue. Later he returned to Broadway and Twenty-third Street, and jumping into a red taxicab standing at the curb near the Flatiron Building, they were whisked back to Madison Avenue and Fiftieth Street. The chauffeur did not know that he had a Prince for a passenger.

These Are Writ in Royalty's Book.

Ruring the visit here of their Royal Highnesses many have called at the residence of Ambassador Reid to pay their respects to the Ducal visitors. Cards are never left for royalty. Instead, a visitor's book is used, and only friends and acquaintances of the Duke and Duchess are allowed to inscribe their names therein.

Those who have written their names in the royal book during the last three days include many prominent New Yorkers. The names inscribed on Monday, the first day of the royal party in town, include:

Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Cutting,
Miss Cutting,
Brig. Gen. W. L. White,
Capt. Eric J. Bell,
Capt. C. R. Crowdy,
Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt,
Eliot C. Bacon,
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. Griscom,
Col. Robert M. Thompson,
Bishop Courtney,
Miss Courtney,
Secretary and Mrs. von L. Meyer,
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt,
Mrs. Laurence Townsend,
Mr. and Mrs. Seth Low,
Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt,
Reinhold von Warlich,
Lewis Coward,
Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills,
Mrs. Cavendish-Bentinck,
Lady Parker.

Those who entered their names in the royal book on Tuesday include:

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Mott,
Allison V. Armour,
Francis M. Whitehouse,
Mrs. Royal Phelps Carroll,
Mrs. Frederick Bronson,
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Berwind,
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ward,
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Guinness,
Miss Gwenfra Williams,
Mrs. T. Warren Anglin,
Mr. and Mrs. Henry White
John Campbell White,
Mrs. George C. Loring,
Mrs. Loring Townsend Hildreth,
Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Baylies,
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Iselin,
Mrs. Richard Gambrill,
Mr. and Mrs. De Lancey Kane Jay,
Mr. and Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr.,
Miss Jane E. Morgan,
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Satterlee,
Lawrence Mott,
Mrs. Joseph Stickney,
Mr. and Mrs. Cunliffe Owen,
Alfred Horstmann,
Count Carl Moltke,
Countess Moltke,
R. T. Carroll,
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. D. Lanier,
Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Warren,
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Thompson.

Those who called up to noon yesterday and wrote their names in the royal book were:

Capt. Carl Stuart,
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Iselin,
Adrian Iselin,
Miss Therese Iselin,
Mr. and Mrs. George B. McClellan.

Mrs. Reid, for the first time since her royal guests arrived, joined them in their sight-seeing trips yesterday, which began with a trip downtown to Wall Street and a call at the Stock Exchange at the noon hour.

It was about 11:45 when the royal party left 451 Madison Avenue with the Ambassador and Mrs. Reid, occupying four limousine cars, the last car containing the police escort, consisting of Lieut. William Funston and Inspector Parkinson of Ottawa. They bowled down Fifth Avenue as far as Washington Square, and then over to Broadway. On their way the party stopped to look for a few moments at the new municipal building, and next at the ruins of the Equitable Building fire.

Princess Smiles at Cheering Brokers.

The report that the royal party was headed for the Stock Exchange was announced some time before their arrival. When they drew up to the Wall Street entrance of the Exchange President R. N. Thomas, former President F. K. Sturgis, former President H. P. Pomroy, Vice President Charles W. Maury, Secretary George W. Ely, and a committee of six members of the Board of Governors were there to greet them.

The Exchange corridors on this side was kept cleared, and an elevator was kept at the ground floor, so there would be no delay. Crowded in the New Street corridor were scores of brokers, who gave voice to hearty cheers as the regal party passed through to the elevator. The party was taken to the sixth floor, where a formal reception was held in the Governor's room.

Ambassador Reid introduced the Duke and the members of his family to the officers and governors of the Exchange, and after a few minutes' conversation the party was escorted down the stairway and out into the members' gallery, a few floors below.

During their stay, which was not more than twenty minutes business on the Exchange was practically at a standstill. The members' gallery had been cleared, and the appearance of President Thomas there was a signal for the suspension of business. Then, as the Duke and Duchess and the Princess followed the President into the gallery, a rousing cheer was sent up from the floor. The Princess was all smiles and nodded her head in response to the salute, while the Duke and Duchess gravely acknowledged the greeting by inclining their heads.

Party Mixed Up With a Funeral.

Word that the Duke and his party were in the Exchange spread quickly through the financial district, and when the ducal party came out of the building the streets were packed with a dense throng that cheered lustily as they reentered their cars.

Owing to the building operations in the neighborhood there is little room for vehicular traffic around the Exchange. Just as the party came from the Exchange a funeral came through Wall Street, a most unusual occurrence, and the hearse was blocked just in the rear of the Duke's motor. The ubiquitous camera men used the wheels of the hearse as a point of vantage from which to take snapshots of the party as each member stepped into the automobiles. The Duke's motor was followed by the hearse when way was finally cleared, and the other motors were for a time sandwiched between carriages in the cortege.

From Wall Street the party drove uptown to attend the luncheon given by Mrs. Vanderbilt, who was Miss Grace Wilson. Mrs. Vanderbilt's was one of the first invitations which the Duke and Duchess accepted after their arrival. Mr. Vanderbilt has almost completely recovered from the operation which he underwent for appendicitis, and was able to take up his duties as host to royalty.

Among the guests were Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mr. Vanderbilt's mother; Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills, Mrs. Sidney Dillon Ripley, and Mayor Gaynor. With the Duke and Duchess and the Princess was their host and hostess, Ambassador and Mrs. Reid, Miss Pelley, lady in waiting, Lieut. Col. H. C. Lowther, and Capt. Rivers-Bulkeley.

Ducal Party in a Mills Hotel.

After luncheon the royal party returned to the Ambassador's home, and shortly afterward went out sight-seeing. It was about 3 o'clock when the four limousines swung down Fifth Avenue, then across Thirty-sixth Street to the Mills Hotel No. 3.

This hotel was opened in October, 1907, and has accommodations for 1,875 men. Mills Hotel No. 1, in Bleecker Street, has 1,554 bedrooms, and the No. 2 hotel in Rivington Street has 600 bedrooms. Ogden Mills came with the party to show them over the hotel, in company with the general manager of all three hotels, John L. Thomas.

The party arrived unexpectedly, so far as the several hundred guests were concerned, but it did not take them long to discover that a Duke and Duchess and a Princess were looking them over. The guests at this hotel only pay 30 to 40 cents for a room over night. A course dinner costs 25 cents. Luncheon can be had at the same price as the dinner, and a hearty breakfast is served for 15 cents.

The Duke and his party explored the working part of the hotel, inspecting the kitchens and laundry. The Duchess was greatly interested in the preparation of the food and the working of the laundry. The party also visited the library and the reception rooms, where many games of checkers were forgotten in the excitemena of the moment, and some of the bedrooms.

During their visit here the men were most orderly, and the most of them politely lifted their hats as the ducal party passed them by. They stood in line when directed to clear the way, and outsiders observed that it was the most orderly crowd that has yet gathered about the royal visitors during their stay in the city.

The Duke voiced his opinion to the general manager by saying that the hotel was the finest piece of practical philanthropy he had ever visited, and that in all respects it was an ideal home for the self-supporting men, with no idea of pauperism about it.

The Duke was particularly interested in the hotel, as he is a patron of Rowton Houses in London, which were founded by the late Lord Rowton, who was private secretary for many years to Lord Beaconsfield. After the latter's death Lord Rowton devoted himself largely to charity, and founded these houses, which are planned somewhat after the Mills Hotels, in which work he was assisted by the Duke.

Duke Visits the Library.

Here the party separated, the Duke accompanying his host, with Capt. Rivers-Bulkeley, to the new public library.

The Duchess and the Princess, with Mrs. Reid and Miss Pelley, and Capt. Lowther, went uptown to pay some private calls. They stopped in at the Gainsborough Studios in West Fifty-ninth Street, calling on Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCammerron and Albert Groll, the artists. After paying a call at Mr. Choate's, who was celebrating his 80th birthday, they returned to the home of Ambassador Reid.

Some Royal Costumes.

During their morning trip yesterday the Duchess wore a black street costume and hat to match with large white wings, and mink furs.

Princess Patricia wore a sealskin coat over a cerise gown, with a pink felt hat topped with pink and white roses.

In the afternoon the Duchess appeared in a becoming costume of deep blue velvet with a short coat of the same material edged with sable. Her hat was also of blue velvet, and was topped with blue plumes.

The Princess wore an afternoon gown of blue of a lighter shade, a long fur coat, and a black velvet hat with white plumes.

Mrs. Reid was in black costume with furs, and her hat was topped with purple plumes.

At the dance given on Tuesday night at her home, Mrs. Reid appeared in a gray gown covered with silver spangles, a diamond tiara, and pearls and diamond ornaments.

The Duchess was in a rather deep shade of violet velvet, and wore a diamond diadem and jeweled ornaments.

The Princess Patricia wore a white robe, brocaded in gold, and had a cerise ribbon around her brown hair.

The Duke, with Capt. Lowther, plans to leave for Washington at 11 o'clock this morning, where he will meet the President at 5 o'clock, afterward attending the dinner to be given by Ambassador Bryce at the British Embassy.

Ambassador and Mrs. Reid will take the Duchess and the Princess Patricia to the Metropolitan Opera this afternoon and evening, occupying Boxes 28 and 30. There is a special matinée to-day, at which Caruso and other Metropolitan stars will sing, and to-night the new opera, "Versiegelt," will be given before Orfeo.

DUKE'S GREETING AT CAPITOL.

It Is Elaborately Planned and Announced in Court Gazette Fashion.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—What President Taft and the White House staff has described as a momentary and excessively simple function when the Duke of Connaught calls on the President has been developed into a ceremony that would take columns to explain. To-day a most elaborate scheme of arrangements was worked out, which includes the Duke's entourage, the President's Military and Naval Staff, a squadron, instead of a troop, of cavalry, and the Marine Band in its reminiscent red stuck out on the White House lawn as the Duke and his entourage come up to the White House portico.

The complete programme of the event as arranged and given out officially follows:

"His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, accompanied by his military aid, will arrive at the Union Station Thursday afternoon at 4:20 o'clock.

"He will be met at the station by his Excellency the British Ambassador and his entire staff; also by the personal aide-de-camp of the President, Major Archibald W. Butt, who will extend the personal welcome of the President to his Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, and will place the President's automobiles at his disposition and accompany him to the British Embassy, where he will remain until 5 o'clock, when he will be escorted to the White House to pay his respects to the President.

"The Third Assistant Secretary of State, accompanied by Col. Cosby, U. S. A., and Lieut. Timmins, U. S. N., will call at the British Embassy to escort his Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, accompanied by his Excellency the British Ambassador and their staffs to the White House, afterward returning in the same manner.

"One squadron of cavalry from Fort Myer will act as an escort to his Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, the British Ambassador, and the remainder of the party from the British Embassy to the White House.

"The President's military and naval staff will receive H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught and his entourage at the entrance of the White House and conduct them into the Green Room. The President will then enter the Blue Room, accompanied by his personal aid. The representative of the State Department will then be notified that the President is waiting to receive H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, who will then enter the Blue Room, accompanied by the British Ambassador and the representative of the State Department.

"The State Department representative, Mr. Chandler Hale, will announce H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught and his Excellency the British Ambassador. The British Ambassador will present H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught to the President.

"After the reception of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught by the President the staff of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught and the staff of the British Embassy will be conducted into the Blue Room by a military and naval aid and presented to the President.

"Immediately following the presentation of the staffs the President will ask H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught to have a cup of tea with Mrs. Taft in the Red Room. Mrs. Taft will invite the wives of the Cabinet officers and their husbands and the wife of the British Ambassador to be present at this informal tea.

"On leaving the White House the mounted cavalry band, stationed immediately in front of the north portico, will play the American National anthem until H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught and his party have left the White House grounds. The band, which will be stationed within the grounds prior to the arrival of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught and his party, will play the British National air, "God Save the King," and will continue the anthem until H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught shall have entered the White House.

"After H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught has returned to the British Embassy and the cavalry escort has been dismissed the President will pay a return call."

THOUGHTS BY F. T. MARTIN.

Society's Philosopher Comments on Phases of the Duke's Visit.

Frederick Townsend Martin, who is confined to his apartment at the Hotel Plaza with a sprained wrist, commenting last night on the eagerness of New Yorkers to see the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and their daughter, Princess Patricia, said:

"It is awful to be forever alone.

"But more awful is it never to be alone.

"Mann actually tendts to gregariousness, but is fundamentally an individual.

"The craving to be alone will never be completely eradicated from human nature.

"In the midst of the great mass which attracts us irresistibly there is often born in the individual an overwhelming desire to be unobserved by this mass, that he may have a chance to study and analyze the impressions made upon him.

"Almost everybody craves fame, station, prominence. But almost everybody who has it is enslaved by it.

"The Duke of Connaught is a typical case in point. He came here with his immediate relatives incognito, no doubt to study our people and conditions and visit some immediate friends. Had he desired publicity he would not have come incognito, but his very prominence made his discovery inevitable, and robbed him of that privacy which a King, or a known genius, gets very seldom, though just as much entitled to it as the most commonplace citizen.

"It is an awful thing not to be permitted to be alone."

BRACKETT AS ENVOY OF BARNES TO TAFT

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movement has become so great that it must have a National organization, not to keep it going, but to control it and send it in the right direction to get delegates to the National Convention."

STANDS BY ROOSEVELT.

An Ohio Progressive League Refuses to Aid La Follette.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Jan. 24.—The Lucas County Progressive League will not assist in the campaign to nominate Senator La Follette for the office of President of the United States, according to a letter sent by the League to-day to Walter L. Houser of Washington, D. C., Secretary of the National organization, which is promoting La Follette's campaign.

Mr. Houser wrote a few days ago asking for the local organization's support. In the letter the League again declares itself for Roosevelt.

LUMBERMEN FOR HARMON.

Only Man Who Can Bring Business Peace, Says R. A. Long.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 24.—R. A. Long of Kansas City, a wealthy lumberman, to-day, in an address at the convenof the Southwestern Lumbermen's Association, said that Gov. Judson Harmon of Ohio was the only man who, as President, could bring about a settled condition of financial affairs in this country.

Mr. Long urged the delegates to use their influence toward making the Ohio Executive the next President of the Nation.

PERKINS IS FOR ROOSEVELT.

But Only Because He Believes in Him, Not Because of Steel Suit.

In a letter to the New York Tribune, published yesterday, George W. Perkins denies that he is the exponent or agent of certain interests that are said to be promoting the Roosevelt nomination with a large expenditure of funds. Mr. Perkins declares that the beginning of the Steel suit by no means affected his views or activities, which, as a free-born American, he says, were prompted by intelligence and the dictates of conscience. The letter is as follows:

To the Editor of The Tribune:

Sir—I feel that I owe it to myself to take notice of the article in your issue of to-day in which your Washington correspondent says that "certain interests, of whom George W. Perkins is the exponent and agent, are spending money with prodigal liberality to produce an overwhelming demand for the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt for President"; that "Mr. Perkins has been conducting this campaign ever since the institution of the suit against the Steel Trust, but with redoubled energy ever since President Taft refused to recommend to Congress the amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law"; that "political leaders from several States have been sent for and have gone to see Mr. Perkins," and that he (Mr. Perkins) "has offered the men he believed could control their State delegations to the National Convention practically all the hard cash they might need to swing their delegations to Col. Roosevelt."

All of the above is false and misleading in each and every particular. I have not done a single one of the things charged. Your entire article of to-day is but an elaboration of a story that originated a week or ten days ago, through another Washington correspondent, in an Indianapolis newspaper, which paper was indicted by Mr. Roosevelt while President.

There is not and there never has been any mystery or concealment in my attitude toward Mr. Roosevelt. The statement that I am in harmony with what are known as his policies is true, and every one who knows me knows it. If such a course on my part constitutes a crime, the charge could have been made against me at any time as far back as when Mr. Roosevelt was Governor of New York. From that day to this I have never concealed my admiration for his course in public affairs. In 1910, when Mr. Roosevelt was advocating Mr. Stimson for Governor of this State, I was one of the very few men in the financial district who openly and actively supported Mr. Stimson.

In public addresses made long before the Steel suit was brought or thought of I repeatedly stated my position in regard to the business-Government problems of the day in as plain English as I could command. The beginning of the Steel suit does not make an iota's difference in my views or my activities on this subject, and to ascribe any such petty motive to me is a base reflection on my breadth of view.

It is well known that I am earnestly interested in the great business questions confronting our country to-day and their relations to Federal Government. One cannot consider one problem without the other. I have also clearly stated that all these views, such as they are, are my own individual views, and I hold them regardless of affiliations, past or present, with people or concerns. I have been constantly freeing myself from business connections that I might be in a more independent position frankly to express my views on these questions. As a free-born American citizen I certainly have the right to work for such policies and such candidates as my intelligence and conscience dictate.

I believe in progressive Republican principles. I believe it is extremely important to the welfare of this country that these principles should succeed in the forthcoming National election. I believe that it behooves every man who has the future welfare of this country at heart to study carefully the problems before us in their entirety, that he may be in a position to express intelligently an opinion and work for such policies and such candidates as may appear to be for the best interests of our entire country. GEORGE W. PERKINS.

When asked yesterday whether he had anything to add to this letter, Mr. Perkins said:

"I do not know that I have anything to add to it, except to emphasize, if possible, one point—namely, that any opinions which I may have expressed publicly or privately relating to the business problems of the day, to politics, or to men in public life, have been in every case my own opinions, and have been made without consultation with or authority or knowledge of the Steel Corporation, the Harvester Company, or any other corporation or concern in which I am interested or with which I have been connected. So far as I know and believe, the corporations named are keeping entirely out of politics."

MARYLAND FOR TAFT.

Republican Leaders Pledge Its Delegates to His Renomination.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 24.—Former Congressman William P. Jackson, Republican National Committeeman from Maryland; John B. Hanna, Republican State Chairman, and Congressman Thomas Parran went to Washington to-day and pledged to the President the support of Maryland's sixteen delegates to the Republican National Convention.

In an authorized interview here to-night Mr. Jackson said: "After going over the situation I am convinced that the Republicans of Maryland favor the renomination of the President."

New Mexico Republicans for Taft.

SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 24.—Members of the Republican State Central Committee, gathering here for a meeting tomorrow to decide on a date and place for the convention to select eight delegates to the National Convention at Chicago, expressed themselves in favor of instructing the delegates for Taft.

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THE TIMES'S DAILY TRANSATLANTIC WIRELESS DISPATCHES

FINANCIER EXPECTS A PERIOD OF UNREST

Sir Felix Schuster Says Threat of Coal Strike Has Already Hurt English Trade.

NEW SITUATION IN PARIS

Banks No Longer Control the Investment of the Enormous Savings of the French People.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Sir Felix Schuster, at the half-yearly meeting of the Union of London and Smith's Bank today, said:

"A period of unrest and agitation, political and social, seems to have set in, and the guidance of strong hands is needed. The mere threat of a coal strike has already diverted business from England and sent large and important contracts to other countries. In the event of a strike not only the coal trade itself but our whole export trade would suffer a serious blow, and all industries would be paralyzed to such an extent that the loss to the nation in business obtained by our keen competitors might make itself felt for generations.

"As to the international political outlook, surely there is reason to look forward to improvement. The very fact that dangers have been perceived and avoided could not but lead to a better understanding among the nations. Was it not time that the whole of Europe should stand together in face of the revolution, political, commercial, and industrial, that is now taking place in distant countries like China?"

In reference to the continued decline in consols, Sir Felix laid stress on the disastrous effect of the excessive death duties, which, he said, were encroaching upon the capital resources of the country, but he refused to recommend any of the several remedial schemes for keeping up the price of consols that have been proposed, and simply emphasized the paramount importance of maintaining a large sinking fund on an absolutely permanent basis.

A new and interesting development of international finance is pointed out by the financial correspondent of The Standard in Paris, who writes:

"The financial world has to face a new situation in Paris. It is now certain that the great banks have temporarily lost control of the liquid money of the country.

"France is now, beyond the shadow of a doubt, extending her international relations of finance. This means, for example, that the great banks could not, if they would, take up again their old relations with the German banks and the Berlin market. No one is agitated about this for the present, but thoughtful persons cannot help asking what is going to happen when American business has revived sufficiently to oblige the New York banks to use their money at home. German resources, though immensely greater than was supposed a year ago, cannot suffice unaided for the imperative business demand, which is of still greater immensity.

"On the contrary, the statistics of 1911, including more than two months since the Franco-German difficulties were supposed to be settled, show that French business demands need a smaller proportion of French capital than ever. That is to say, the economies of the French people are piling up money for other people's business, but there are unmistakable signs that the French people are beginning to determine for themselves the disposition to be made of their money.

"The first sign is the undisputed fact that they are withholding their money even from the French market for any use of it abroad. There has not been a break or let up of this determination of the bank depositor and investor. Since the field was supposed to be cleared for new affairs, speculation at the Bourse has not been able to advance a step. The change of Government, with its sharp reminder that the French people have put their own house in order, last week's sudden outbreak of trouble with Italy, and Spanish difficulties still to come, will stifle all financial activity in Paris for an indefinite time to come.

"This is partly the reason why the Crédit Foncier's new issue of 500,000,000 francs ($100,000,000) was covered nineteen times over on the day of issue, Jan. 20, and not by heavy individual subscriptions. It is announced that 95 per cent. of the heavy subscriptions will be reimbursed, so great is the number of single demands.

"The money which poured in for single bonds represents the small French investor with his economies, on which the great banks formerly relied for use in Germany, South America, and elsewhere in the world orbit."

AEROPLANE SAVED ITALIANS.

Troops at Ghirgarish Would Have Been Annihilated but for It.

GABES, Tunis, Jan. 24.—Details of the engagement between Turks and Arabs and an Italian column near Ghirgarish, a small oasis on the coast, about ten miles from Tripoli, on Jan. 19 have reached this place, and show that at the time of the fighting the Italian destroyers had temporarily withdrawn.

Boats laden with contraband approached the shore and opened a heavy fire on the Italian forces. At the same time 1,000 Turkish regulars at Ainzara prepared to attack the Italians from the rear.

The Italians would inevitably have been annihilated if by chance an aeroplane, coming out to try its motor, had not been seen by the Turks, who became so alarmed that they were unable to carry out the turning movement. They kept up their firing, however, until nightfall. The Italians lost fifty killed and thirty wounded.

CUBAN PRO-VETERAN ACT VOID

Supreme Court So Intimates—Nunez Agrees to Veterans' Suppression.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

HAVANA, Jan. 24.—The Supreme Court has assured the Executive that the Pro-Veterans act is unconstitutional, and that joint action by Congress to annul it is therefore unnecessary.

President Gomez's proposed decree to suppress the veterans' associations has been accepted by Gen. Nunez, their leader. It is reported that this satisfies Mr. Beaupré, the American Minister. The Secretary of Justice has approved the form, and the Government has authorized it to be gazetted and carried into effect.

The Chairman of the Civil Service Commission has been directed to resume his functions. Financial and commercial circles are chafing at the delays and criticise Gomez.

Gen. Menocal agrees to accept the Presidential nomination from the Conservatives if he is nominated after the sugar harvest.

The French Legation has renewed the pressure in regard to its claims, which the German Minister seconds.

The Speyers object to the Government's project to farm out liquor imposts to a Spanish syndicate here.

An American schooner at Port Manzanillo has been fined for failure to tip its colors to a Cuban gunboat.

KAISER LAUDS ANCESTOR.

200th Anniversary of Birth of Frederick the Great Celebrated.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—The two hundredth anniversary of the birth of Frederick the Great was made the occasion to-day of patriotic demonstrations and celebrations throughout Prussia. Berlin was gaily decorated with flags, and the numerous statues of Frederick were covered with laurel wreaths.

The principal celebration took place at Potsdam, where Emperor William reviewed a number of regiments of the garrison which were first formed in Frederick's reign, and which took part in many wars under his command. The Emperor also paid a visit to the ancient Garrison Church of the city and placed a wreath on Frederick's coffin, which lies in a vault beneath the pulpit.

The Emperor later addressed the members of the Royal Academy of Sciences in the White Hall of the Palace, eulogizing Frederick the Great as an ardent patron of the academy and a zealous promoter of its work. The Emperor announced a gift to the academy consisting of the voluminous correspondence between Frederick and Field Marshal Richard Joachim Heinrich von Mollendorf, who was distinguished for his services in the Seven Years' War.

A gala performance was given at the Royal Theatre to-night, consisting of dramatic scenes from the life of Frederick the Great, written by Capt. Lauff at the Emperor's instance and entitled "Der Grosse König." The Emperor superintended the rehearsals for several days.

BANK SUED FOR $37,000,000.

But Bank of Montreal Does Not Seem Worried by Action Brought Here.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 24.—The Daily Mexican says that a $37,000,000 suit has been filed in New York by Henry De Kay, the receiver for the Mexican National Packing Company, against the Bank of Montreal for damages arising out of the failure of the United States Banking Company.

MONTREAL, Jan. 24.—The General Manager of the Bank of Montreal to-day denied any knowledge of a suit for $37,000,000, said to have been brought against the bank by Henry De Kay, receiver for the Mexican National Packing Company.

An agent of the Bank of Montreal in this city said yesterday that the suit referred to in the foregoing was an echo of an old dispute and was of "no consequence." As a matter of fact, the Bank of Montreal was the aggrieved party and lost a considerable sum of money by the failure of the United States Banking Company, he said.

At the local offices of the Mexican National Packing Company it was not known whether a suit had been filed. Henry De Kay, the receiver, was said to be out of the city, and those in charge of the office did not know who were the company's attorneys.

ANOTHER WAR THREATENED.

Argentina Sends Ultimatum to Paraguay—Only One Day for Reply.

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 24.—Diplomatic relations between Argentina and Paraguay will be broken off to-morrow unless in the interim the Paraguayan Government satisfies Argentina's demand for compensation for the attacks on shipping and other property belonging to her nationals.

The Argentine Foreign Minister, Ernesto Bosch, recently instructed the Argentine Minister at Asuncion to present a formal claim for compensation for the attacks on Argentine shipping and property.

The Paraguayan Government curtly refused to discuss the matter. The Argentine Minister reported to that effect to Señor Bosch, and the latter has now ordered him to demand satisfaction within twenty-four hours, failing which diplomatic relaitons between the two countries will be immediately broken off.

VON AEHRENTHAL WORSE.

Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister's Illness Is Serious.

VIENNA, Jan. 24.—The condition of Count von Aehrenthal, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, has become worse.

The Count has been seriously ill for several days.

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WANTS CONTROL OVER STARS

Seeks to Stop Breaking of Contracts, and May Also Attempt to Lower Present Enormous Salaries.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—Privy Councillor Winter, the business manager of the Kaiser's Royal Opera, is, it is learned by the correspondent of THE NEW YORK TIMES here, now in New York for the purpose of negotiating an offensive and defensive alliance with the Metropolitan Opera.

Details of the project are not obtainable in Berlin, but the underlying object is to establish more rigorous control over international singers.

The Kaiser's Opera desires to enter into a regular exchange arrangement whereby Berlin's stars will hereafter be loaned to New York, and vice versa. It is desired in particular to abolish the present situation, which results in the Metropolitan capturing the best singers of the Kaiser's staff by means of the irresistibly tempting salaries New York offers. In the case of one world-famed prima donna, who is now appearing in Broadway, the terms were so alluring that she went across the ocean regardless of her Berlin contract obligations.

The recent desertion of the Berlin Royal Opera by Dr. Karl Muck, the conductor, who capitulated to the terms offered by the Boston Symphony Orchestra, emphasized the necessity of coming to some sort of agreement with America lest it deplete Berlin of all first-class talent.

The Kaiser's emissary may also seek to make a deal with Mr. Gatti-Casazza for keeping down salaries. Berlin has long blamed the Metropolitan for bulling prices of operatic stars, and it is believed here that if New York puts down its all-powerful foot the days (and nights) of $2,500 a performance singers will suddenly come to a much-desired end.

Privy Councillor Winter, the assistant director of the Berlin Opera, has been in New York for the past week, it was said last evening at the Metropolitan Opera House. It was stated that he was looking over operatic conditions here.

Mr. Gatti-Casazza denied the statement that any singers had been induced to break their contracts with the Berlin Opera to come here for higher pay, and cited the case of Frieda Hempel, whose New York début has been postponed year after year because Berlin continues to need her. Putnam Griswold is the only artist of recent appearance at the Metropolitan who comes from Berlin, and his contract there was ended.

Mr. Gatti-Casazza also stated that a working agreement with the Berlin Opera had existed for the past three years.

HAMMERSTEIN HAS TRIUMPH.

Production of "Louise" May Be a Turning Point in His Enterprise.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Oscar Hammerstein achieved a veritable triumph with the production of Charpentier's "Louise" to-night, and as the audience departed many predictions were heard that this opera would prove the turning point in Mr. Hammerstein's fortunes at the London Opera House, as it did at the Manhattan.

Mr. Hammerstein was greatly pleased with the tributes he received, but assumed a pessimistic attitude. "The third performance will see the house half empty," he said, shaking his head, but with a twinkle in his eye.

The house was full to-night, and a goodly proportion of the audience had paid for their seats. There was not a single blemish on the performance, which in every respect was the best that Mr. Hammerstein has yet given in London, and greatly superior either to the Covent Garden or Paris Opéra Comique presentation of the opera.

Aline Vallandri was an admirable Louise, and after the third act received over a dozen recalls. Marguerite D'Alvarez gave a superb rendering of the part of Louise's mother, and Francis Combe was excellent as the father. All the rôles were well distributed and the whole performance was even and artistic.

The stage director, M. Coini, and the conductor, M. Cherubini, were called before the curtain, and even Mr. Hammerstein himself had to come out and bow his responses to almost rapturous applause.

"Louise" did not prove a great draw when given at Covent Garden, and if the prediction referred to at the outset of this dispatch is borne out, Mr. Hammerstein will have scored a signal victory.

MAKES FIVE NEW AIR RECORDS

Tabuteau, at Pau, Beats Previous Aviation Speed Exploits.

PAU, Jan. 24.—Maurice Tabuteau, the French aviator, flying in a monoplane, made world's records to-day for the distances of 200, 250, and 300 kilometers, 124.28, 155.35, and 186.41 miles, respectively.) He covered the 200 kilometers in 1 hour, 54 minutes, and 21 seconds; the 250 kilometers in 2 hours, 22 minutes, and 57 seconds, and the 300 kilometers in 2 hours and 51 minutes.

Tabuteau also established new records for flights of two and three hours. In two hours he covered 205 kilometers 287 meters, (127 miles 5 furlongs,) and in three hours 316 kilometers 287 meters, (196 miles 973 yards.)

Notes of Foreign Affairs.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The main steam pipe of the British steamer Skipton Castle burst and killed two or her crew on the voyage from Galveston, from whence, she sailed on Jan. 6 for Antwerp. She was spoken on Jan. 20, and reported that she was proceeding to Fayal, Azores, for temporary repairs.

MILAN, Jan. 24.—Don Francisco de la Barra, Extraordinary Ambassador from Mexico, arrived here to-day and was greeted by the Italian authorities. He will present the thanks of the Mexican Government to King Victor Emmanuel for the participation of Italy in the celebration in the centennial of Mexican independence in 1910.

THE COLORADO DAMAGED.

Liner, with Pilot Dead on Bridge, Hits Cruiser in Honolulu Harbor.

HONOLULU, Jan. 24.—In a collision to-day between the Hamburg-American liner Cleveland and the United States armored cruiser Colorado the latter suffered considerable damage.

The collision occurred while the Cleveland was being brought into the harbor by the pilot, who died of heart disease while on the bridge. The Colorado was at anchor in the harbor.

The steamer struck the Colorado astern, jamming a gun near the cabin occupied by Capt. Gill. The gun turret was wrenched and the resetting of the gun will probably be necessary, although the extent of the damage could not be immediately determined. It is believed that the propeller of the Colorado also was damaged. The Cleveland was not damaged.

The Cleveland arrived here from New York via China and Japan at 5:30 A. M., in command of Capt. Dentwolf. The vessel is on a trip around the world on a tourists' excursion, and carried hundreds of American travelers. There was no panic or confusion.

TO DEFY BELFAST UNIONISTS.

Churchill and Redmond Will Try to Hold Meeting as Arranged.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The Home Rule meeting will be held in Ulster Hall, Belfast, on Feb. 8, as arranged, and Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, and John Redmond, the Irish Nationalist leader, will speak, if the determination reached to-day is carried into effect. A conference was held in the chief Government Whip's office this afternoon. It was attended by Mr. Churchill, Lord Pirrie of Belfast, and Sir Rufus Isaacs, the Attorney General—the last named to give legal advice—and a final decision was taken to hold the Belfast meeting.

In the meantime Sir Edward Carson, M. P., ex-Solicitor General, who is the leader in Ulster's fight against home rule, visited Belfast to-day, and had a conference with the leaders of the Loyalists. They perfected arrangements to occupy Ulster Hall from Feb. 7 until after Feb. 8, so as to prevent the holding of the Churchill-Redmond meeting. Contracts have been entered into with caterers to supply provisions for 1,500 persons in the hall during those two days.

FAVORS FREE CANAL TOLLS.

G. S. Dearborn Advocates It for American Coast Shipping.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 24.—George S. Dearborn of New York, President of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, appeared before the House Interstate Commerce Committee to-day in advocacy of free tolls for American coastwise shipping using the Panama Canal, but he challenged the statement that the imposition of tolls would bar American vessels from the use of the canal in coast-to-coast traffic.

The highest toll rate proposed so far is $1.25 a net registered ton. When this and other rates were called to Mr. Dearborn's attention by members of the committee he expressed the opinion that no toll so far proposed will deter American ships from using the canal. They would not use the Tehuantepec railway route for coast-to-coast transshipments, or resort to rounding the Horn, because he believed, even with the tolls, it would be cheaper to utilize the canal.

Members of the committee quizzed Mr. Dearborn closely regarding the charge made yesterday by Representative Humphrey that the American-Hawaiian Company has an arrangement with the transcontinental railway interests. He declared his company is not controlled by railway interests, but is wholly independent of them.

TWO MEN HURT ON OLYMPIC.

President Ismay Sails on Her to Return on New Titanic's First Trip.

While hundreds of people were passing up and down the gangways of the White Star liner Olympic yesterday, seeing their friends off to Europe, one of the electric cranes on the after part of the second-class section of the main deck suddenly moved without any warning and tumbled two sailors working on it to the deck.

Albert Avery, 43 years old, of Hambledon Hants, England, one of the men, was found unconscious, with a possible fracture of the skull, and his mate, William Robertson, 50 years old, of Aberdeen, Scotland, had an ugly scalp wound. The injured men were taken to St. Vincent's Hospital.

They had been working on the crane all morning to discover a broken feed wire to the electric motor, and were over the beam of the crane when it suddenly shot upward, throwing them off.

Among the 563 cabin passengers on the Olympic was J. Bruce Ismay, President of the International Mercantile Marine, who said that the new Titanic will have accommodations for 830 in her first cabin, 100 more than the Olympic, and that he intends to make the first trip in her on April 10.

Another passenger was the Rev. Dr. R. J. Campbell, the well-known London preacher, who has been in this country since last October preaching his new theology. Dr. Campbell referred to California as "the Paradise of the earth," and said he had all he could do to tear himself away from the Golden Western State.

Carnegie Interested in the Stars.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 24.—Accompanied by Gov. Dix and Peter Kinnear, Albany's oldest Scotch-American resident, Andrew Carnegie, visited Washington Park to-day to see a statue of Robert Burns, and also called at Dudley Observatory, where he showed deep interest in the hypothesis of Director Lewis Boss on the increased velocity of the stars as they grow older. Mr. Carnegie remarked that he believed both he and Director Boss would be forgotten before the hypothesis developed into a discovery.

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BRITISH FEAR LOSS OF TRADE BY CANAL

Afraid Americans and Germans Will Capture Lion's Share of Increased Traffic.

TELLS OF FORTIFICATIONS

Correspondent of London Paper Says Few Persons Know How Strong Are the Batteries We Are Erecting.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The news that Herr Ballin, the German shipping magnate, is on the way to Panama has caused a new flurry among British shipping men, who were already somewhat perturbed by the prospect of the new conditions which will follow the opening of the canal.

The Pall Mall Gazette gives prominence to a letter from a correspondent who has just returned from Panama and who says:

"If some improvement is not speedily made in the British mail services to South America and along the western coast we may expect to find when the canal is opened that both the Germans and the Americans will get ahead of us and capture the lion's share of the increased traffic.

"Already passengers are avoiding the English boats and taking passage either by the German or the American 'fruit' line in preference, even from and to our own West Indian islands. The Americans undoubtedly can make the opening of the canal the opportunity for a great effort to re-establish their mercantile marine.

"When I was in Panama all the talk was of preferential rates for American shipping or penal rates for foreigners. It comes to the same thing. The canal cannot possibly pay unless very heavy rates are charged, and these American ship owners will not stand if they are levied on their ships. The prevailing point of view was that the United States had spent hundreds of millions on the canal and that, treaty or no treaty, the Americans could claim the right for a return for their money."

After expressing the opinion that the canal cannot pay as a commercial undertaking, but that if American ships receive a heavy preference a National advantage will be gained, the correspondent continues:

"I am convinced that in the mind of the American Government the first consideration is the strategical benefit to be derived from the control of the canal. It is, of course, well known that the entrance is being fortified, but few people know the strength of the masked batteries in the American Zone behind Colon. Approach thereto is forbidden, naturally enough, and I cannot give details, but I have seen sufficient to know that American control of the canal has been thoroughly safeguarded from attack. The excuse given is that these armaments are necessitated by the recent increases of armements in Jamaica."

The writer pays a high tribute to the Americans for transforming the insalubrious Isthmus into "a place as healthy as any in the world," and concludes:

"The Americans are exercising all the rights of sovereignty in the zone, and in a rather despotic way, and they mean to continue to do so. Personally, seeing the pains they are put to and the money spent, I cannot bring myself to blame them."

KING GEORGE AT MALTA.

He and the Queen Welcomed Enthusiastically—Visit French Warship.

VALLETTA, Malta, Jan. 24.—King George and Queen Mary reached here today on board the steamship Medina. They had an enthusiastic reception. Their Majesties visited the French battleship Danton this afternoon.

A slight mishap occurred to the Medina as she was entering port. A buoy rope fouled the propeller, but caused little delay.

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BURGLAR IS TAKEN FROM JAIL TO WED

French Convict Becomes Husband of Elderly Widow Who Hopes to Reform Him.

HE ESCAPED FROM GUIANA

Returned to France, Was Recaptured, Escaped Again, and Was Once More Caught—To be Tried Feb. 3.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—The Versailles Town Hall was to-day the scene of a strange love idyll, with prison warders at witnesses. A burglar named Ferger was married there to Mme. Crot, an elderly widow, who owns a picture theatre. She hopes to reform the convict.

Ferger, who was originally a clown, was sent to the Guiana penal settlement for five years for burglary. He escaped, returned to France, and was recaptured, but, pretending madness, was taken to a lunatic asylum. He again escaped, was rearrested, and was placed in the Versailles jail, where Mme. Crot, who had known him before his arrest and discovered a fund of goodness in him, wooed and won him, it is said, through his lawyer.

At 11 this morning the prisoner, dressed in black broadcloth and with handcuffs on his wrists, was taken by four warders to the Central Police Station, where, in the presence of the bride, who was dressed in black and wore a heavy veil, he signed the marriage contract.

At noon the bride and bridegroom, accompanied by the former's lawyers, proceded to the Town Hall, where the Mayor of Versailles made them man and wife. The Police Superintendent and a warder were the witnesses for the bride, and two warders for the bridegroom. The ceremony was brief and the convict bridegroom grinned broadly when the Mayor enjoined on the bride her duty to obey her husband and follow him everywhere.

The ceremony over, Ferger threw himself into the arms of his wife and embraced here enthusiastically, while behind him clanked the handcuffs he was about to don again. The warders then escorted the bridegroom back to prison, followed by a large and sympathetic crowd.

Ferger will be tried at the Versailles Assizes on Feb. 3. The bride is 54 years old; he is 37.

Discovery of Gold Due to Chickens.

MINITONAS, Manitoba, Jan. 24.—Gold in flakes and nuggets was found near here to-day by a drilling outfit, which has been investigating as the result of the recent find of gold in the crops of fowls.

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DR. PETERS RECEIVES SETBACK AS GROCER

Proprietor of Little Store Declares His Competition Would Ruin Her Business.

HE FINDS NEW QUARTERS

Fails to Find the Retail Prices as Exorbitant as He Had Been Led to Expect.

The low-priced, full-weight grocery store to eliminate middlemen's profits, which the Rev. Madison C. Peters has been planning to open at 440 East 123d Street, met with several setbacks yesterday.

Mr. Peters won't be able to open the store at 440 East 123d Street, because there is another grocery store—which doesn't eliminate middlemen's profits—in the same building; and the proprietor of this other grocery store told the landlord of the entire premises yesterday that the admission of any anti-middleman grocery to the building would be considered a breach of contract, not to say a violation of good faith.

Mr. Peters is also said to have found some difficulty in discovering a wholesale market at which groceries are sold at a sufficiently low cost to enable him to retail them at much less than the price for which the regular small retail grocery stores of Harlem's east side are now selling them. Regarding this latter matter, however, there was a conflict of opinion last night.

Before any of the day's setbacks came Mr. Peters started out full of hope yesterday morning, accompanied by several reporters, to find a wholesale market where the avaricious middlemen—whose profits he hopes to eliminate—purchase their vegetables at prices which, supposedly are very low. First Mr. Peters went to a Washington Street market and priced some English potatoes. He found there that a sack containing 165 pounds of potatoes sold for $3.50. This would make the potatoes worth about 2¼ cents a pound.

Having obtained this piece of information Mr. Peters led the reporters to one of the small retail shops on the west side. He said he was going to show them what an exorbitant profit these shops exacted from their customers.

"How much are your potatoes?" Mr. Peters asked the shopkeeper.

"Ten cents a quart," the shopkeeper answered.

"How many pounds in a quart?" the clergyman asked suspiciously.

For answer the shopkeeper put a quart of potatoes on the scales and showed that they weighed three and a half pounds. This would make the potatoes retail at 3 cents a pound. Mr. Peters was obliged to admit that a profit of three-quarters of a cent on each pound of potatoes wasn't excessive.

While at the Washington Street wholesale store Mr. Peters had learned that the wholesale price for cabbages was 2½ cents a pound, and he asked the retail storekeeper how much he was selling an unusually handsome-looking head of cabbage for.

"Five cents for that cabbage," said the retailer.

When put on the scales, the cabbage proved to weigh 1¾ pounds, which would be about 3 cents a pound, or just half a cent profit to the retailer.

Turnips and beets, which had been found to cost a cent a pound at wholesale, proved to cost not much more at retail. But lemons cost 1 cent apiece wholesale and a cent and a half retail.

While Mr. Peters was studying prices on the west side of the city, excitable little Mrs. Rose Horr, who keeps a small grocery store on the ground floor of 440 East 123d Street, on the other side of the entry from the mission rooms, from which Mr. Peters planned to open his philanthropic grocery, was reading a description of his plan in her morning paper. The more she read, the more her anger rose. Finally she rushed to her telephone, called up the real estate agent of the building, Everett M. Seixas, and told him what, according to the newspaper, Mr. Peters was planning to do.

"You let Mr. Peters have that store alongside of mine in this building a week ago to open a gospel mission in," she protested. "Now, having got into the building under the cloak of religion he is going to drive me out of business by underselling me. I have been a good tenant for five years. Haven't I always paid my rent promptly? What are you going to do about it?"

Mr. Seixas, who in a moment of philanthropy had offered Mr. Peters the use of one of the empty stores at 440 East 123d Street to open mission rooms in, telephoned to Mr. Peters that if any groceries were sold at philanthropic rates in the mission rooms the privilege of using the rooms would have to be taken away.

Mr. Peters arrived at the mission rooms at 8:30 o'clock last night to lead fifty women and children in song and to baptize two babies.

"Our plan to sell groceries at low rates by eliminating middlemen's profits has received a few trifling setbacks, but it is going to be carried out just the same," he said, firmly. "The groceries will be sold from a room in a deserted house at 443 East 123d Street, across the street. I have found a retired produce dealer, George A. Member, who will do my buying for me. I have found several wholesale markets, including the Melrose Market, in the upper part of the city, where vegetables can be bought wholesale at very low prices. On Saturday we will begin selling the common vegetables, potatoes, cabbages, beets, turnips, and the like at from 40 to 50 per cent. below cost. My plan has aroused so much interest that a woman of high social position, worth several millions, has asked the privilege of coming to act as saleslady and assisting in other ways."

TO INSTAL CARDINAL TO-DAY.

200,000 Applications for Seats at the Cathedral Service.

The doors of St. Patrick's Cathedral were closed last night to allow the carpenters and decorators to finish unhindered the elaborate preparations for the Pontifical Mass and formal installation to-day of Cardinal Farley as the Cardinal Archbishop of the Province of New York. Cardinal Gibbons has arrived in the city, and the service, beginning at 11 o'clock this morning, will probably be the most impressive ever held in the Cathedral.

The two Cardinals will, of course, lend the greatest importance to the service. In addition, however, almost a thousand of the clergy, Archbishops, Bishops, Monsignori, monks, and priests, all in their ecclesiastical robes, will add to the splendor of the event. The senior Cardinal, in this case Cardinal Gibbons, is entitled to the place of honor in the procession of the clergy, but in all likelihood Cardinal Farley and Cardinal Gibbons will walk together.

It is estimated that there were no less than 200,000 applicants for the 5,000 seats available, and Mgr. M. J. Lavelle, rector of the Cathedral, has had a busy week of it. A great majority of the seats were promised in advance to the Cardinal's Reception Committee, and to the members of the various Catholic societies and clubs in the city.

The service, it was said yesterday, will last at least two hours. The musical programme will rival the Christmas festival music, both the main and chancel choirs participating. The music of the mass will be sung by an augmented choir, and will be accompanied by an orchestra. Here is the full musical programme:

Prelude, War March of the Priests, "Athalia" ....Mendelssohn
Processional, Ecce Sacerdos Magnus.
Proper, Feast of Conversion of St. Paul... regorian
Mass, Opus 76, For Soli, chorus orchestra. I. Mitterer
Offertory, Allelula, Opus 23....E. Edgar Tinel
Te Deum.
Recessional, Holy God..................Chorale
Postlude, Marcia Festua...........A. J. Silver

The opening and closing hymns by the choir are the same that were sung at the consistory when Pope Pius X. conferred the red hat on Cardinal Farley.

The celebrant of the pontifical high mass will be the Most Rev. Edumur F. Prendergast, Archbishop of Philadelphia. The sermon will be preached by the Right Rev. Thomas F. Cusack, Auxiliary Bishop of New York. After the sermon Mgr. Lavelle will deliver an address to the Cardinal on behalf of the clergy and Justice Victor J. Dowling will speak on behalf of the laity. Cardinal Farley will sit on the throne to the left of the altar, and Cardinal Gibbons is to be seated on the newly constructed throne at the righ of the altar. The chancel has been extended on both sides.

In the evening Cardinal Farley will be the guest of the Catholic Club, 120 Central Park South, where elaborate plans have been made for the reception. The Cardinal will be seated on a specially erected throne in the club's reception room.

Cardinal Farley officiated at the funeral of Eugene Kelly, the banker, yesterday morning. It was the Cardinal's first appearance at a public mass since his return from Rome. He was assisted by Mgr. Lavelle and Mgr. Burtsell.

Among the fifteen hundred mourners were the Count and Countess Hermil de Sallier du Piu, and the Viscount de Kertanguy, who had come from Paris for the funeral; Thomas A. Kelly, and Robert Kelly, brothers of Eugene Kelly; Mrs. Edward J. Kelly, Thomas J. Kelly, Jr., Eugene Kelly, a nephew; Miss Eugenia Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. J. Richard Steers, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. G. Beales, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Donnelley.

FAVORS CHILDREN'S BUREAU.

Senate to Vote on Bill Next Tuesday and It Will Probably Pass.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Senate to-day agreed by unanimous consent to vote next Tuesday on the bill establishing a children's bureau in the Department of Commerce and Labor. Test votes and the debate to-day indicate that the measure will pass by a safe margin, and it is understood that House sentiment also favors the bill.

Under the terms of the measure the new bureau will be authorized solely to collect infant statistics as to mortality, disease, labor conditions, neglect, and abandonment.

Senator Borah of Idaho, who sponsors the measure, admits that all the legislation that may result from the information collected by the bureau will have to be enacted by the States, as Congress lacks jurisdiction.

To Lessen Fires in Factories.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Jan. 24.—It will be a misdemeanor hereafter to carry a lighted cigar, cigarette, or pipe in a factory in this State if a bill introduced to-day by Assemblyman Goldberg of Brooklyn becomes a law. The introducer declares that fires, with attendant loss of life, will be lessened if this bill is enacted.

TRICKED BY STEEL SUBSIDIARY, HE SAYS

R. H. Gray Charges That Shelby Company Blocked His Filling Navy Contract.

PRIED INTO HIS BUSINESS

His Bid of $4,385 Was Rejected for Shelby's $5,498—Navy Penalized Him for the Difference.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Richard H. Gray, an iron and steel dealer of San Francisco, told the Stanley Steel Committee to-day that in 1906 he was blocked by the Shelby Steel Tube Company of Pittsburgh, a subsidiary of the United States Steel Corporation, in his efforts to fulfill a contract with the Navy Department for the repair of the ill-fated gunboat Bennington.

He charged that the Shelby Company forced him to default on his contract by a conspiracy to prevent him from obtaining seamless steel tubes for repairing the Bennington's boilers, that new bids were ordered by the Navy Department, with the result that the contract went to the Shelby Company for $5,498. This was $1,113 higher than Gray's original bid on the tubes, and he was compelled to forfeit that sum to the Government to maintain his standing before the department.

Gray said he entered the steel business with I. S. Van Winkle of Sacramento and afterward went into business for himself. He dealt largely in Government contracts, bidding on material to be supplied to the Mare Island Navy Yard.

"When I went into business for myself," Mr. Gray testified, "I wanted to make more friends. I thought that I had made friends with the Shelby Steel Tube Company, which was a subsidiary of the Steel Corporation. They solicited my business, and before 1901 and 1902 I had no difficulty in having my orders filled. I introduced the seamless tubes for the Government at Mare Island. When I received orders from the Government I found a change in attitude toward me by the Shelby Company. They took refuge behind inability to fill my orders. I found they were prying into my sources of business and trying to sell for themselves.

"I got a contract in 1906 for repairs for the machinery of the gunboat Bennington. Part of the contract was for seamless tubes. It was the Bennington which blew up in San Diego Harbor several months before the time when her boilers were to be re-equipped under this contract. Bids were opened in Washington and San Francisco. Mine seemed to be the only complete one, and the Government wanted the material from one source."

Gray testified that when he negotiated with the Shelby Tube Company for the tubes it refused to allow him to obtain them. His contract with the Government contained a sixty-day clause requiring forfeiture for failure to deliver the goods. The Navy Department extended his time to ninety days, and when he was still unable to get tubes he complained to the Navy Department that he was being put out of business by the Shelby Tube Company. The Government reopened bids, and the Shelby Company got the contract. The Government insisted upon the fulfillment of the penalty, and required him to pay the difference between his bid and that of the Shelby Company.

"I had ceased to look for friendly treatment from the Shelby Tube Company," Gray testified, "for I had been told by one of their salesmen confidentially that he would not be allowed to sell to me. Then I tried to buy these tubes from other companies. I asked the Scully Steel and Iron Company and Joseph T. Ryerson, both of Chicago, large customers of the Steel Corporation, to act as intermediaries and obtain material for me.

"In the Bennington contracts I asked them to keep the matter secret. After I got the contract I tried to buy the tubes from the Detroit Seamless Tube Company and other concerns, but I was told that my efforts to deal with other companies angered the Shelby people. I tried independent dealers, among them a Philadelphia and a Pittsburgh firm, and failed. I felt my last hope was with the Shelby Company, and on Aug. 14, 1906, I wrote them requesting that they telegraph me their answer as to the prices. I called at the company's San Francisco office a week later and was advised by Thomas Brooks, their agent, that he had been instructed to say that the Shelby Steel Tube Company had filed a bid with the Navy Department. This was their reply, although I told them I had received the contract.

"I again asked them to quote prices, and Brooks replied that he had nothing to add to what he had said. On Sept. 20, 1906, just before I was in default on the contract, I sent them this telegram:

"'Why will you not treat with me on specifications for the Bennington; can we come to no mutual understanding?'

"I stood ready to pay any price to save my integrity, but they would give me nothing but a verbal negative."

In this predicament, Gray testified, he notified the Navy Paymaster at San Francisco and asked to be released from the contracts. This was recommended by the Navy Paymaster to the Paymaster General, and the latter's office ordered new proposals. Gray said there was only one bid received under the readvertisement, that of the Shelby Steel Tube Company, the same in every particular as their former bid of $5,498, with delivery in 150 days. The Shelby Company got the contract, and on Dec. 29, 1906, the Secretary of the Navy ordered the difference between his price and that of the Shelby Company, $1,113, to be collected from him.

"My original bid for these tubes totaled $4,385, and that of the Shelby Company $5,498," he said.

TO PUBLISH JUDGES' BACKERS

Amendment to House Bill Would Force Publicity of Indorsements.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Democratic majority and most of the Republican insurgents of the House went on record this afternoon in favor of forcing President Taft and his successors to give full publicity to all indorsements of candidates for judicial appointments.

By a vote of 148 to 82 they attached to a bill for the rearrangement of the District and Circuit Courts at Chicago an amendment, offered by Representative Cullop of Indiana, directing that "before the President shall appoint any District, Circuit, or Supreme Court Judge he shall make public all indorsements made in behalf of any applicant."

The importance of the amendment was quickly seen, and the proposition is challenged in some quarters as unconstitutional, because it might be construed as a limitation upon the President's power to appoint.

Only seven of the Democrats present and voting voted against the amendment. All Republican regulars present voted with the minority leader, Mr. Mann, against the proposition, while seven Republican insurgents or near insurgents voted for the amendment.

The first intimation of the idea was in a speech by Representative Cullop during general debate over the bill, which aims to dispense with one of four Circuit Judgeships at Chicago and creates a third District Judge for that city. The bill passed, 147 to 93.

BERTOLETTE DIES OF FEVER.

Yorktown Commander's Death Starts Move for Clean Ports.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The United States will insist that all ports in Latin America in touch with lines of steamers that will pass through the Panama Canal be put in the best possible sanitary condition as a matter of protection to commerce. The position of this Government is that after we have completed the Canal and invited the commerce of the world to make use of it we must safeguard the health of those who occupy or pass through the Canal Zone.

This attitude was emphasized to-day by the news of the death this morning at Guayaquil, Equador, of Commander L. C. Bertolette of the gunboat Yorktown, which was sent to Guayaquil to protect American interests during the revolution.

TWO DETECTIVES REDUCED.

Reich and Cohen Are Assigned to Patrol Duty on East Side.

Detectives Reich and Cohen were reduced to patrolmen yesterday and sent, respectively, to the East Thirty-fifth Street and East Fifty-first Street Stations. "For the good of the service" was the only explanation given at Headquarters, but the transfers were considered by those who follow police affairs to strengthen the rumor that Inspector Hughes is soon to be removed from charge of the Detective Bureau and to be replaced by Inspector Russell, who held the post before.

Reich and Cohen are both considered good detectives, and the former was sent, no longer ago than last Monday, to the command of detectives in the Oak Street Station. The reducing in rank of these men so soon after the transfer of Acting Captain William Clark, who was looked upon as Hughes's right-hand man, is taken to indicate that Hughes's influence is no longer as strong as it was.

Lieut. Joseph O'Connor was suspended yesterday. He has been attached to the Snyder Avenue Station in Flatbush since last Spring. No reason was given for his suspension.

To Aid Needy New Rochelle Family.

THE NEW YORK TIMES acknowledges receipt of $5 from "J. E. H." for the needy family in West New Rochelle, whose dog brought relief by taking a note to the Commissioner of Charities of New Rochelle.

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MILL MEN REFUSE TO MEET STRIKERS

Officials Tell Arbitration Board Mills Will Deal Separately with Employes.

HAYWOOD TELLS HIS PLANS

New Strike Leader Says He May Cut Off All Food and Coal Supplies from Lawrence.

Special to The New York Times.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 24.—Prospects of an early settlement of the strike of the textile workers in this city looked dim to-night when the mill owners' representatives refused to enter a conference with a committee of forty-eight strikers and the State Board of Arbitration. The mill officials said they were empowered to meet only a committee of the striking employes of the mills which each represented, instead of a general committee.

Indications that the woolen company might come to terms with its employes independently of the other corporations affected, were given in a statement which was made by the representatives of that company to the State Board of Arbitration prior to the meeting. This statement said:

"We are not authorized by the stockholders to make any statement or agreement toward a settlement to bind the company. We were informed that a committee of our own men were coming to see Mr. Wood with regard to a settlement, and had an appointment which they would have kept, except for this meeting. We are now expecting them to come, and we are going to confer with them in an endeavor to settle."

The strikers' committee, headed by Joseph J. Ettor of New York and William D. Haywood, the Western strike leader, took their places in the Aldermanic chamber, where the conference was to be held, and discussed the situation with the members of the State Board of Arbitration. The representatives of the mill owners kept to themselves in the private office of Mayor Scanlon. All refused to enter the conference. The Pacific, Atlantic, Everett, United States Worsted Company, and Brightwood Manufacturing Company's mills, the latter of North Andover, were represented, in addition to the American Woolen Company.

Several thousand strikers massed on the Common this afternoon, and, exposed to numerous snow squalls, listened for an hour to the speeches of the leaders. William D. Haywood urged them to remain firm in their demands, and said that he intends to go West in a short time and solicit aid for them.

"I have read in one of the newspapers," he said, "that Lawrence was afraid of me. It is not the people of Lawrence who are fearful of me; it is the superintendents, agents, and owners of the mills. I was not afraid to come, even though the city be guarded by soldiers. I have been in other strikes where soldiers were at hand, but I never saw a strike defeated by soldiers.

"All you have to do is to keep the check upon yourselves and don't give the other side a chance to get you. If we must keep this strike on we will do our best to shut off all railroad traffic to Lawrence."

He went on to say that the strike leaders would work so hard that he felt it would be possible to stop coal and other necessities coming to Lawrence, so that there would be no light or heat in the mills. He said if it were found necessary, the soldiers could be starved out of Lawrence.

Ettor asked how many would be in favor of continuing the strike should no agreement be reached at to-night's conference. The vote was practically unanimous to continue the fight.

The Shoe Workers' Protective Union of Haverhill gave the strikers $800 to-day.

Following the open air meeting the strikers paraded through the city streets. All business on Essex Street was brought to a standstill while the marchers were passing through. Several bands played popular airs, and many in the parade carried American flags. The strikers hooted the militiamen, but there was no disorder. No attempt was made to invade the mill district.

When Haywood stepped off the train to-day he was greeted by several thousand strikers and sympathizers. Three bands and a drum corps played popular airs and the crowd, shouting and singing, pressed forward, endeavoring to greet Haywood personally. A parade was finally formed, and with Haywood in the lead the march toward the Common was started. From various side streets, as the parade moved along, groups of strikers joined the column, until it was estimated that 5,000 persons were in line.

In front of the headquarters of the Strike Committee Haywood left the parade and went into the strikers' meeting. He was met by Ettor, and the other members of the committee gave him a round of cheers.

When the various textile mills opened to-day there was a general slight increase in the number of operatives at work, although the mills were enabled to carry on operations only on a small proportion of the regular scale.

Military authorities to-day stated that the twelve companies of militia would not be decreased to-day or to-morrow, but would be kept here awaiting possible developments.

Opinion of Foss's Secretary.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 24.—Dudley M. Holman, secretary of Gov. Foss, wrote a letter to Miss Mary Boyle O'Reilly, well known for her social work, which was made public to-day, in which he said:

"I reported to the Governor that so far as I found out one man was responsible for the present situation in Lawrence."

In his letter to Miss O'Reilly Mr. Holman said:

"The human side of the industrial problem receives generally but scant attention. Manufacturers are much more solicitous for their machines of iron and steel than for the flesh and blood machines that work as incessantly under conditions that are well nigh intolerable, for it costs nothing to replace the warn-out human machines, while to renew the steel machines means to cut into the dividend rate.

"The amount paid out in dividends by the American Woolen Company in 1902 was $1,400,000; in 1911 it was $2,800,000. The capital in 1902 was $49,501,100 and in 1911, was $60,000,000. What dividend increase was there to the wage earner? Protection is sought that they might compete with the pauper labor of Europe without lowering the American standard of living? God save the mark!

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HER OLD NEIGHBORS FEAR HER FROM AFAR

Mrs. Christopher, Whom They Vexed with Complaints, to Give Away Her House.

FOR CONSUMPTIVES, MAYBE

Kingsbridge Terrace Dreads the Disposition She Will Make of Property—It May Be an Asylum.

Residents of Kingsbridge Terrace, a hill road in the Bronx running east from Broadway toward the Hall of Fame, at about 230th Street, were much wrought up yesterday about the latest turn in the annoying affairs of the house at No. 2,660. The house is a modern two and a half story structure, surrounded by well-built homes of people who can afford to keep them in first-class condition.

Outside the house looks as attractive as any suburban residence. But three times it has had the neighbors for blocks around in an uproar, and the size of yesterday's flare-up was such that it threatened to overtop all the others. The house is the property of Mrs. Sarah W. H. Christopher, a widow with two children, who formerly owned some chickens and a game rooster.

The rooster is the creature at the bottom of all the furor that has been raised over the house. First the rooster crowed until the people next door were terribly annoyed. Then No. 2,660 gained a reputation in the courts and in all the city departments to which neighbors can find any excuse for campLaining—about a crowing rooster, or a plumbing leak, or an untidy rock in the terrace beside the house.

The most ugly portion of the rumor was that Mrs. Christopher, who long since ceased to reside in her house, gave unstinted confirmation when anxious neighbors, not actively engaged in the feud, approached her to know of her latest plans.

Yes, tubercular patients are going into the house, or, if not tubercular patients, then a colony of wee orphans, who will so enjoy the sunshine and the vacant lot adjoining on which to play; or, if not some tiny orphans, then perhaps some very aged poor folks who can be had from some institution.

"You see," she explained last night after handing a reporter for THE TIMES a large scrap book full of clippings about her troubles with the Water Department and the Health Department and the Building Department and her neighbors and her chickens, "you see this house has a fine southern exposure. It has eleven large rooms. It is thoroughly modern—not more than six years old—and it was built for the comfort of its tenants.

"It is a great chance for some charity that needs a fine house. My equity in the place is worth fully $10,000. I believe in being square. I could mortgage the place up to the last nail in the doorsill and then give it away, but I won't do that. I want the taker to get a lot out of it."

"And how about the neighbors?" was suggested as the reporter glanced through column after column of their protests and complaints, and Mrs. Christopher's opinions of them freely stated.

"Well, to be perfectly frank as to the neighbors I hope I so dispose of the house that I will leave a monument to them. That's just what I want to do; I want to be remembered up there, where I lived until I couldn't stand it any longer. And I do think they'll quite enjoy some convalescents or some little orphans playing and romping about—just about as much as I loved them and enjoyed them. But then the applicants needn't bother about that feature. All they need to do is to look at the sunshine and the furnishings and prepare to enjoy a really fine place."

The last notice came this week. Mrs. Christopher told the Health Department which delivered it that she would never, never obey it, and if they'd only give her a reasonable time she'd have the property given away before they could require action on her part. The notice was to stick back in the terrace wall a cobblestone that had fallen out.

Mrs. Christopher has a poem in her scrapbook written by herself and printed several years ago. It is an Ode to the Banished Rooster. Here it is:

Ah, Paddy, dear, and did ye hear the news that's goin' round,
How the rooster was forbid by law to crow on city ground?
He was shipped to us from Scranton on St. Patrick's natal day
By a gentleman whose heart was built like a large-sized bale of hay.

When I met with Billy Ansley, sure he took me by the hand,
And he says that Rooster is a Bird, he crows to beat the band;
He disturbs the peaceful Jerseyites, they're sure a-feeling sore;
I'm sure you'll have to take him back or they'll want to shed my gore.

"Poor Paddy," said Mrs. Christopher, as she concluded. "If they had only objected to the other roosters."

MRS. WETMORE WINS.

Judge Not Satisfied That She Wrote Abusive Letter to Pastor.

The charge of sending an abusive letter, preferred by the Rev. George H. Houghton Butler, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Mission, Sherwood Park, Yonkers, against Mrs. George H. Wetmore of 53 Villa Avenue, one of his former parishioners, was dismissed by Judge Beall in the Court of Special Sessions in Yonkers yesterday afternoon.

The court said that insufficient evidence had ben produced to show that Mrs. Wetmore had been the author of the letter or had sent it. It had been left unstamped and addressed only to "Butler," St. Mary's, in the letter box before the home of Mrs. Katherine Shoenhals, 57 Crescent Place. The rector lives in Mount Vernon, and the mail addressed to him in care of the church he gets through Mrs. Shoenhals.

Mr. Butler was on the stand, and said that though the letter was signed only by "Mrs. G.," he knew it was from Mrs. Wetmore because he had seen her write and therefore could recognize her penmanship. He said that he did not mind the passage in the letter in which he was ordered to "keep his mouth shut," but he was annoyel by certain allegations as to his character.

Mrs. Wetmore's husband testified that the letter is not in his wife's handwriting and that the rector had boasted some time ago, while he was Mr. Wetmore's guest, that he could imitate any person's handwriting.

FINGER PRINTS ACCUSE HIM.

Experts Testify That Roberts's Hand Made Mark on Vogel Jewelry.

The trial of Joseph Roberts, the negro elevator boy, who was arrested on Dec. 6 for the murder of Isaac Vogel, a jeweler, took on new interest yesterday afternoon, owing to the identification by experts of the New York detective bureau of his finger prints on a silver cigarette case.

Frederick Kuhne, a finger-print expert, told how he had found on the cigarette case, which was among the jewelry Roberts is alleged to have taken, an impression identical with one made later from Roberts's inked finger and with another made on a previous occasion when Roberts was arrested for breaking open a safe. Kuhne was positive that the marks on the cigarette case were made by the right middle finger of the defendant.

Kuhne was followed by Capt. Joseph A. Faurot, head of the Bureau of Identification. Faurot explained that he had learned the science of finger prints in Paris and at the Scotland Yards in London.

"Do the finger prints on this cigarette case coincide with those made directly from Roberts's finger?" asked Assistant District Attorney Moss.

"Absolutely," was the reply.

153,726 ARRESTS IN 1911.

Waldo Reports a Decrease of 4,000 for Violations of City Ordinances.

The total number of arrests in this city during 1911, according to the annual report Police Commissioner Waldo yesterday submitted to the Mayor, was 153,726. Of this number, 25,888 were made by the Detective Bureau. There were 4,000 fewer arrests for violations of corporation ordinances than during 1910. The Commissioner explained that he had carried out the Mayor's suggestions and removed from the Rogues' Gallery all pictures of persons who had been arrested but not convicted.

The total number of policemen in the city's employ on Jan. 1 was 10,208, the same as on Jan. 1, 1911.

NO CLEMENCY FOR WOLTER.

Slayer of Ruth Wheeler Must Die—De Marco Reprieved.

ALBANY, Jan. 24. — Gov. Dix has refused to interfere in the case of Albert W. Wolter, slayer of Ruth Wheeler, whom he lured to his rooms in New York City on the pretense of employment as a stenographer. Wolter will die in the electric chair in Sing Sing Prison Monday morning.

The Governor issued a reprieve for ninety days in the case of Salvatore de Marco, sentenced to be executed at Sing Sing Monday, in order that he may have an opportunity to carry his case to the Court of Appeals.

De Marco is one of six Italians convicted of the murder of Mrs. Mary L. Hall at Croton Lake. The executions of the five others have been stayed by appeal.

$15,000 Blaze in Insane Asylum.

DANVERS, Mass., Jan. 24.—Fire damaged the State Hospital for the Insane here early to-day, causing a loss of $15,000. There are 1,200 inmates, but it was necessary to remove only about 150 from one section of the men's ward, where the flames were confined. The inmates remained calm. They were hastily awakened and marched into another building.

CIVIL SERVICE BOARD REPLIES TO ORDWAY

Charges of Reform Association Answered by Comparisons with Past Records.

ACTION UPHELD BY COURTS

Upwards of 15,000 Persons Examined in 1911 Against 8,540 in 1910—Percentage of Exemptions.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 24.—The State Civil Service Commission, through its president, John E. Kraft, made public to-night a letter to Samuel H. Ordway, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Civil Service Reform Association of New York City, replying to criticisms made by the Association in a recent letter to Gov. Dix concerning exemptions made by the commission during the year. Here is the letter in part:

"During the year 1911 this commission voted to place in the exempt class 288 positions and denied applications to exempt 210. Of those granted fifty-two were not approved by the Governor during that period. Of the remainder, twenty-nine, exemptions were mandatory under the civil service law; thirty-eight were already exempt under a different title or in another department, while thirty-two fell in a class which had uniformly been exempted by all commissions since the organization of the department. Forty positions were under boards of elections in counties subject to civil service rules, except in the counties of New York, Kings, Queens and Richmond; making these deductions we have a balance of ninety-seven positions, concerning the classification of which an honest difference of opinion may prevail.

"During 1900, Gov. Roosevelt's last year, 95.2 per cent. of the applications for exemption were granted. Under Gov. Odell (1901-1904), 72 per cent. of the applications were granted, while in the administration of Gov. Higgins (1905-1906), 75.1 per cent. of the applications were approved and under Gov. Hughes (1907-1910,) 74.3 per cent. of the applications were allowed by the then State Civil Service Commission.

"Of the applications for exemptions presented during the year 1911 but 52.9 per cent. have received the approval of Gov. Dix.

"In this connection we would invite your attention also to the record of open competitive examinations during the year 1911, which shows a very large increase over any previous year. Upward of 15,000 persons have been examined for various positions, as against the highest preceding year—1910—in which there were 8,540.

"As to the fifty-one positions under the jurisdiction of the State Controller returned from the competitive to the exempt class during the past year by resolutions of this commission, we desire to remind you that the transfer of the positions to the competitive class by the previous commission was not made until the several positions had been filled, some of the appointments preceding the change in classification by only a short period.

"We might add that the action of this commission has been sustained by the courts in every instance where a judicial review has been sought."

SENATORS OPPOSE M'COOEY.

Assured by Dix That He Is Not to be Public Service Commissioner.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Jan. 24.—Gov. Dix has not yet decided whom to appoint as Public Service Commissioner in the First District to succeed William McCarroll, according to Democratic politicians who called upon him to-day. Backed by the positive action of Kings County leaders who are opposed to John H. McCooey, the Kings County Democratic leader, some of the Democratic Senators from that county called on the Governor, who again said he would appoint a high-class Democrat from Kings.

In the delegation that called on the Governor were Senators Hardin, Black, O'Brien, and Cronin. They left the Executive Chamber with the assurance that Mr. McCooey would not be nominated for the place.

Edward G. Riggs, a political writer on The New York Sun, is on the list of candidates. He is a resident of Brooklyn, and thus would be eligible within the pledges made by Gov. Dix to the Brooklyn Senators.

BILL FOR WOMEN DEPUTIES.

Senator Sullivan Introduces Measure to Aid Sheriff Harburger.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 24.—Sheriff Julius Harburger may appoint women as deputies if a bill introduced to-day by Senator Timothy D. Sullivan becomes a law.

After Sheriff Harburger had selected two women as deputies and it was found the law interfered with their appointment, a measure was drafted by a woman lawyer in New York City, and sent to Senator Sullivan with the request that it be introduced. When no reply from the Senator was received he was accused of a lack of courtesy, and his answer was the introduction of the bill to-day.

The measure amends the penal law by permitting the Sheriff of any county in New York City to appoint as Special Deputy any person more than 21 years old, regardless of sex, the condition being that they shall perform only such duties as are assigned to them from time to time by the Sheriff.

OFFICE BOY'S PAY FOR A CITY TYPIST

Only $300 a Year Available for First Grade Clerk in City School Department.

MAXWELL CALLS IT DISGRACE

Board of Estimate Censured for Its Stingy Allowance for Clerk Hire.

There were several spirited discussions at yesterday's meeting of the Board of Education. President Winthrop was in the chair and forty of the forty-six members of the board were present. The first lively tilt of the meeting was over the report of the Committee on Elementary Schools, appointing about sixty kindergarten teachers. The names of two persons on the list were excluded, on the ground that they were married.

Joseph Barondess made an earnest protest against the exclusion of these married women. He said it seemed wrong to punish a woman because she chose to marry. He could not understand why there should be a penalty for motherhood. President Winthrop explained that it was a by-law of the board to exclude married women. Mr. Barondess then introduced a resolution calling for an amendment of the by-law.

When the request of the Committee on Supplies, relative to the appointment of Frances Coffey, of Haverstraw, N. Y., as a first grade clerk in the office of the City Superintendent, was read, Dr. Maxwell said that he wanted the Board, the press and the public to know the pay of Miss Coffey would be only $300 a year, that being all the money available in his department for her salary. He declared that it was a disgrace to the city that a young woman, who was a stenographer and typewriter, should have to accept an office boy's pay.

A resolution was finally introduced by Mr. Barondess, expressing disapproval of the pay of the stenographer, and calling upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to rectify this and like matters. The resolution was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Women Protest to Taft on Dear Food.

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—The high cost of living was the subject of a complaint which the Woman's Homestead Association sent to-night to President Taft, who was urged to use his influence to have the duty removed on potatoes, now retailing at the rate of $4.50 a barrel, and on butter and eggs.

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They have been taking a cat-nap in a manufacturer's surplus stock—remainders of his most popular lines. The great majority of them usually command $1.50 a pair. Others are $1, and still others $2 qualities.

We secured them to sell at **85c pair,** just as they run.

Soft finished percales, plain colored cheviots, and fancy striped madras, with light or dark grounds. Military collars, cotton or mercerized loops, good buttons. Label says they are "Fit for a King." Be that as it may, they certainly fit well, and are mighty good at their new price. Small, medium and large sizes.

Men's New Scarfs, 50c

In plain colored silk rep.
In plain colored crochet knit.
In plain colored accordion-knit.

The man in doubt as to what Necktie he shall choose can—and probably will—pick safely from any of the above groups, for most men like plain colors. We usually succeed in getting Neckties to sell at **50c** that are at least a little better than 50c quality, and these are no exception to our rule. **Main Floor**

A STATEMENT
About the Superiority of Gimbel Tailored Suits for Women

This is not for the purpose of placing a wreath of laurel upon the House of Fashions, but simply the quoting of facts which women should know about Gimbel Tailored Suits.

To get to the root of this explanation so that you will have an idea of just what kinds of Suits these are, we shall ask you to reflect for a few moments.

A number of years ago if a woman wanted a really good Tailored Suit—one that was really man-tailored—she went to a custom-tailor, who charged her anywhere from $75 to $150, and more, for a perfectly plain suit. It was not a case of willingness on her part, but necessity.

But now these conditions are changed. A woman can get a man-tailored suit, ready-to-wear. Those at Gimbels being of superior quality.

Gimbel Suits are also superior because they are made of the best quality fabrics.

Gimbel Tailored Suits are also superior because they are typically Parisian in style, even though our regular prices are considered the most conservative in America. This is because our suits are *reproductions* and *adaptations* of the finest imported models.

Now that our Year-end Clearance Sale has carried with it every suit in this salon, one may select

These Suits of Superior Quality at Prices That Are Mere Fractions of Original Prices

Tailored Suits for Women
$18.50 to $25 Suits at $7.50
$25 to $32.50 Suits, $15
$35 to $42.50 Suits, $23.75
$45 to $55 Suits, $29.50
$57.50 to $60 Suits at $35 and $45

All original imported models, and Velvet Suits at proportionate economies.

For Young Women—
$18.50 to $25 Suits at $7.50, $10
$28.50 Suits at $18.50
$35 Suits at $19.75
$45 Suits at $25

Sizes are broken but all are included; for women, sizes 34 to 44, also extra sizes; for young women, sizes 14, 16, 18 and 20 years. **Third Floor**

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There are round, oval, square, oblong Photo Frames, of tarnished galloon, jewelled brocade, rose-garlanded silk.

There are Pin Cushions, Pin Trays, Blotter Corners, Paper Stands, Blotters, Hat Stands, Handkerchief, Glove, Veil, and Hatpin and Hairpin Boxes, in fabrics that will accord with the most elegant scheme of decoration.

There are Cavalier Bags of beaded silks, antique brocades embroidered with ribbozene flowers; heavy, wonderfully colored tapestries encrusted with gold flowers; all with thick gold cordelieres and tassels.

There are inexpensive Chintz Workstands set in lacquer frames, as well as those of gold lace and silk.

There are all manner of exquisite Candle Shields and Shades for the boudoir or drawing-room.

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Just the suits wanted by business men who favor particularly neat patterns. All sizes from 34 to 46.

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ORGANIZING CHARITY ON 6 PER CENT. BASIS

The Rev. Mr. Ford Has a Scheme to Make Everybody Happy and Give Himself $500,000.

PLAYS THE MARKET NOW

Interested Mrs. Walsh, the Fireman's Widow, and Senator Sullivan, Who Says He Got a Gold Brick.

The Rev. Erastus E. Ford has a scheme for founding a charity fund that can be used in every section of the world—Christian and Pagan—for the uplift and succor of the needy. One part of it is to provide the Rev. Mr. Ford with $500,000, out of which we will pay all of the fixed expenses. For the purpose of helping the plan along he sought the aid of the widow and the children of the late Battalion Chief William J. Walsh, who lost his life in the Equitable fire. Another feature of the scheme was Senator Timothy J. Sullivan, who was to help the thing along to the extent of obtaining the necessary incorporation of the company.

Mr. Ford received a reporter of THE TIMES last night in his home at 730 St. Nicholas Avenue. He is a tall, handsome man, and was clad in clerical dress with a long black robe, such as is worn during religious services. He had just returned from Albany, where he had been to confer with Senator Sullivan.

"But the Senator was so busy," said Mr. Ford, "that he did not have any time to give me. Also, I suppose he wants this early publicity of the plan to die away before he becomes prominent in it."

"My plan is a very simple one," said Mr. Ford, "and I hope it will go through."

Mr. Ford is the head of the World's Bible League Corporation, and his memory is kept green in Wall Street by a Market Register and System which he invented and traveled extensively in a fruitless effort to interest capital in it. Because of this he was asked to leave the Consolidated Stock Exchange. There was also some criticism on his operations in the street because he was broker for James B. Kellogg, who was sent to Sing Sing for his connection with the swindles of E. S. Dean & Co.

Mrs. Walsh was so impressed by the representations of Mr. Ford that she wrote to Senator Sullivan, asking him to form an advisory committee to co-operate with the Bible League in raising money for injured firemen and the families of those who are killed. Mr. Ford dictated this letter himself, and got the entire Walsh family to sign it. Concerning this letter Mrs. Walsh said that two days after her husband's funeral Mr. Ford called and told of his plan to help the firemen, and read parts of the letter to her. She says she did not know the man and never before heard of the World's Bible League.

Used Wealthy Men's Names.

It appeared that Mr. Ford said he had elicited the interest of Mr. Rockefeller, Mr. Vanderbilt, Mr. Billings, and a number of other rich men, and that he wanted now to get help from the people of small means. The letter signed by the Walsh family reads in part:

> Whereas, we now understand that the World's Bible League Corporation is issuing its charitable and benevolent fifty-year 6 per cent. gold bonds to donors of funds to it with the intent and purpose of using such funds so that relief and benefactions may be made from such funds so given by such donors to improve living conditions as a reward for services rendered, and not merely as a matter of charity, either on the part of the donors who receive the 6 per cent. for their money, or on the part of the beneficiaries who receive stipulated payments according to their need, paid out of such funds by donors paying the dividends thereon, to the end to improve living conditions.

Mr. Ford displayed no reluctance to disclose every particular of his scheme. He told of his years of service in the ministry and how he got into Wall Street speculation because he needed money to support himself and two other families who were dependent upon him. He said he played the market both ways, just like a ferry-boat that doesn't have to turn around to come back.

"It took me five years to perfect my present plan," he said. "The idea is to issue benevolent bonds providing for an annual payment of 6 per cent. I did intend to ask Senator Sullivan to send out circular letters to rich men, and this will be done as soon as I can get hold of the Senator. Then there was to be a meeting at the Waldorf, where I was to appear and explain the details. Each bond was to sell for 10 cents above its par value, and this extra payment was to go for commissions for selling the bonds. For every bond some wealthy man was to guarantee the interest to the purchaser, the principal and interest at 6 per cent. to the cause.

The Process Quite Simple.

"Now, to give an example. You buy a $1,000 bond for $1,100 and you specify what charity you want the money to be used for. A donor guarantees your interest at 6 per cent. The selling agent gets $100. After the adminstration expenses are taken out a sufficient sum is set aside in some trust company, which, under amortization, will double the face of the bond in fifty years.

"The rest of the money, up to half a million, will go into the treasury and will be used to pay me for my work for the last five years, for promotion and for the work in perpetuity. This is a great scheme, and it is strictly honest and above board. Offices are to be established all over the world, so that the hand of charity may be extended to every people and in every clime. I have been charged with speculating in the markets. Well, I do speculate, but I do it on a system, and I make money."

Mr. Ford was asked in what church he had preached last.

"The last time I was connected with a church," he replied, "was with the late Dr. Blackman of the Church of the Strangers, in West Fifty-seventh Street. I did what good I could there. I helped tend the sick and bury the dead. But a disagreement came between the pastor and myself and I stopped."

Mr. Ford became pretty well known in Albany because of his efforts to incorporate the Bible League. Senator Sullivan did what he could to help him, and twice obtained the passage of the bill, but it failed to receive executive sanction, and then the concern was incorporated in Connecticut.

"The original officers of the league," he said, "were the Rev. Daniel S. Gregory, Stiles Gray Hyatt, and Carlton H. Tyndall. Mr. Hyatt resigned, and Walter Alexander was elected in his place. Now let me tell you something more about my market register."

Mr. Ford was interrupted by the question:

"Do you still intend to push forward your charity plan?"

"Certainly," he replied. "Why to formulate that plan cost me five years of the hardest kind of work, and it is splendid, splendid, and complete. What I am trying to do is to induce people to give charity on the basis of 6 per cent. interest on their gifts. We will get more money for charitable purposes in this way than if the gift was to end and produce nothing in the future. Now, my plan will pay well for every kind deed, and so the people will come along and join us."

Senator Sullivan was asked in Albany whether he was again going to introduce the bill for the incorporation of the Bible League, and he replied:

"No, and if I knew the scheme was anything except what it appeared to be I would not have bothered with it. I got a gold brick. That's about the size of it."

Electric Railway Men to Meet.

The American Electric Railway Association and affiliated organizations begin their third annual mid-year meetings at the Engineering Societies Building to-day. Officials of 375 roads, representing from 75 to 80 per cent. of the industry, will participate. On Friday evening the delegates will dine together at the Hotel Astor. The speakers are Walter L. Fisher, Secretary of the Interior; Thomas N. McCarter, President of the American Electric Railway Association; Theodore P. Shonts, Hinsdill Parsons, Vice President of the Central Electric Company, and O. T. Crosby, President of the Wilmington and Philadelphia Traction Company.

CHOATE HEARTY AT 80.

Diplomat and Jurist Quietly Celebrates His Birthday.

Joseph H. Choate, diplomat, publicist, wit and jurist, celebrated his 80th birthday yesterday.

The long and brilliant career of Mr. Choate has been so linked with American affairs in the last half century that its chronology is a page from the Nation's history. Graduating in 1854 from the Dane Law School, which is now Harvard Law School, he came to New York from his native State of Massachusetts and joined what was then the most celebrated firm of lawyers in the country, the firm of Evarts, Choate & Beaman. For many years in this city he followed his chosen profession, rising by his personal ability and remarkable grasp of law, to first rank in American jurisprudence. Once, in the Gen. Fitzjohn Porter case, in which he worked to bring about the reinstatement to the army of the General, he mastered in a brief time the intricate history of the Bull Run campaign of the civil war, and amazed the legal world by the speed with which he acquired a mass of facts that historians had worked upon for years. Again, in the now historic Di Cesnola case, he personally deciphered certain archaeological data to prepare himself for the defence of his client.

In 1899 he was sent to the Court of St. James as the Ambassador of the United States, which position he held until 1905, when he retired, against the wishes of both the British Government and the President of the United States. The relations of keen cordiality which have obtained between this country and England are accredited to Mr. Choate's mastery of diplomacy and his native wit.

A few months ago Mr. Choate and his wife celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary, at which one of the most notable dinner parties in recent years was given in his country home, and at which he received the felicitations of diplomats from every quarter of the world.

The celebration of his birthday yesterday was slightly marred by the fact that he had suffered a slight cold from exposure at the Reid dinner to the Duke of Connaught on Tuesday night. The malady was slight, however, and personal friends were received late in the afternoon and in the early evening.

Mr. Choate's physical condition, despite his years, is a matter of comment with all whom he meets, for he visits his firm's office at 60 Wall Street every day.

MRS. WHEELER'S ALIMONY CUT

Former Comic Opera Star's Allowance Reduced $400 a Month.

Supreme Court Justice Lehman granted yesterday the application of Albert Gallatin Wheeler, Jr., for the reduction of temporary alimony payable to his wife, Claudia Carlstedt Wheeler, a former star in comic opera, from $500 to $100 a month. He also cut the fee of Mrs. Wheeler's lawyers to $400.

Wheeler is the floor member of the Stock Exchange house of J. B. Russell & Co. He was heavily interested in Chicago Subway stock. He told the court that he was obliged to borrow the money to meet several of the more recent of alimony payments to his wife. Mrs. Wheeler said that since 1898 she had been living at the rate of $12,000 a year and could not get along on $25 a week. She said that her husband was occupying expensive apartments at the Plaza and concealing his wealth.

The Wheelers were married in 1898. Since their separation early in 1910 their country home at Port Chester, N. Y., has been sold, and the apartment at 1 West Seventy-second Street, occupied by his wife, stripped of its furniture. Mrs. Wheeler is now living at the Great Northern Hotel.

JUSTICE HENDRICK ILL.

Indisposition Ascribed to Draughty Condition of Old Tweed Court House.

Supreme Court Justice Peter A. Hendrick sent word to the County Court House yesterday that his doctor had forbidden him to leave his home at 29 Claremont Avenue. His part of the court, Part II., Trial Term, was adjourned until February. Justice Hendrick held court all last week, in spite of a severe cold.

Monday he was forced to suspend sittings and adjourned court until yesterday morning. Justice Hendrick is threatened with pneumonia and his illness is ascribed to the draughty condition of the old Tweed Court House.

Vermont University Alumni to Dine.

The annual dinner of the New York Alumni Association of the University of Vermont will be held at Delmonico's on the evening of Feb. 2. The speakers will be Dr. Guy Potter Benton, President of the university; Dr. John H. Finley, President of the College of the City of New York; Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Judge of the Criminal Court of New York, and Prof. R. Stockton Axson of Princeton University.

GOV. WILSON FINDS BUSINESS UNEASY

Urges Newark Merchants to Wake Up and Help Set Things Right Themselves.

PLEA FOR MERCHANT MARINE

Laments That We Are Ceasing to Feed the World—Senator Aldrich Talks on Currency Plans.

Gov. Woodrow Wilson and Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island were the guests of the Newark Board of Trade at its annual dinner in Krueger's Auditorium, Newark, last night. Both talked of the business unrest in this country and let politics alone. Gov. Wilson expressed himself as pessimistic about business conditions, and said that from all he had heard the business men of the country could see neither confidence nor hope in the immediate outlook.

Gov. Wilson was talking to business men, and the subject of business seemed to weigh so heavily on his mind that he decided to talk about it instead of "New Jersey," to which subject he had been assigned.

"I am pleased to be here when no campaign is on," he said. "I am very much tempted to talk about some things concerning New Jersey, but I think there will be so much more material later that I prefer waiting a while. I must set the stage for the subject of the evening, which I presume is business.

"I find among business men everywhere a spirit of unrest, of uneasiness. They feel portentous changes in economic life which may affect them seriously. Talking about conditions with business men I find them in a negative state of mind. They see no confidence or hope in the outlook. They are weary, and things are not on a sound or satisfactory basis. There is suspicion afloat.

"Now, business cannot rest on criticism or suspicion. If you would safeguard the business interests of the country it is your business to consider things as they are. Some of you may be satisfied with your business. How about the other men? I do not find many men who are contented or satisfied. The fact that you are here to-night to hear the currency question discussed by ex-Senator Aldrich is proof that you consider the currency situation unsatisfactory.

"Rapid changes are going on in our economic life. We used to feed the world. Now we have scarcely enough grain for our own consumption. While about to cease to be the granary of the world we are becoming the world's greatest manufacturer. But we are behind other nations in that we have not taken pains to study the foreign markets. The nation that has the carrying trade gets the market. We have lost the carrying trade. We must build up our merchant marine.

"When the Panama Canal will be opened New York will not be the great base and centre that she now is. The canal will have something of the effect the closing of the Mediterranean had. Men will then turn to new lands to conquer, new avenues of commerce will be sought. The canal will initiate many changes and necessitate new relations with commerce. I cannot answer, myself, some of these questions that I have asked. You must think them over and try to answer them for yourself.

"Business is going to suffer until you realize that business is altruism, patriotism, and service, and not selfishness. When you come to realize these things you will find that your business will bloom and blossom like a rose."

Mr. Aldrich urged support of the Monetary Commission's recent report, and he said that he was in sympathy with Gov. Wilson's plea for a reorganization of business interests, and that the only way to go about it was to settle the National problems now pending on a business basis.

"The evolution of the banking system has been coincident with the progress of the Nation," he said, "and yet the changes, the radical changes, that have taken place in monetary methods, which had revolutionized theories and systems, have largely taken place within the last half century.

"Our system of note issue, I need not say to you, has given us a good currency, a currency which has proved current throughout the United States. But it has never responded to the needs of our business. It cannot contract or expand as long as it finds its principle in one way or the other in the price of Government bonds rather than in the needs of business.

"We shall be obliged to change our currency system very soon by an issue of bonds that can be used to a better purpose. The system proposed by the commission follows literally the experience of all the countries of the world. We propose to get into co-operative union with all the balance of the country. These privileges are now exercised by seven or eight private banks throughout the country, and we purpose that the notes that they issue shall be based in conformity with the experience of the world as to the soundest and best currency, and that they shall be based on gold, on bank-notes, and on commercial paper.

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The subject is BIG BUSINESS AND THE BENCH. The characters are judges—north, south, east, and west—those whose official records suggest that their decisions have been swayed by business reasons.

Many people feel that a judge occupies a place so sacred that he is beyond criticism. This is an inverted view. A judge should keep himself so clean as to be beyond just criticism. The unjust judge should be drummed out of service. We intend that some of them shall be.

EVERYBODY'S MAGAZINE holds that there are too many judges upon the bench to-day whose acts have left them open to suspicion. Each one of them plasters a smirch on the robes of every honest judge. This series of articles is backed by the records—the result of several years of patient inquiry.

That is the kind of muck-raking this is going to be. If you believe that one of the ways of honoring the just judge is by eliminating the unjust judge, come on and lend a hand. The work will begin in the February number of EVERYBODY'S MAGAZINE.

*Charles Sumner said: "For myself, let me say that I hold judges, and especially the Supreme Court of the country, in much respect, but I am too familiar with the history of judicial proceeding to regard them with any superstitious reverence. Judges are but men, and in all ages have shown a full share of human frailty.**** The worst crimes of history have been perpetrated under their sanction."*

¶ YOU HAVE BEEN TOLD often enough how you lost your money after you had lost it. You have had plenty of help in locking the stable door after the horse was stolen. Here you get a chance to look over the trap and size up the bait before you walk into it. Trumbull White, in the February number of EVERYBODY'S MAGAZINE, tells the clear, cold-cut truth about "Porcupine"—"The world's greatest gold-mining district." A mining excitement without mines would not last long. It's because the trap of Porcupine is baited with some real gold mines that the unwary are being caught in such numbers.

Right now, the typewriters of the promoters are grinding away at the "development" of ore bodies and the "discovery" of new reserves in the pockets of the suckers. Hard by, printing-presses hum at the work of making stock certificates ready for sale. Ready to do the promoters' bidding, stand the professional press agents and the unprofessional members of the profession of mining engineering.

A swindle that is only a swindle can not fool many people. Trailing behind a few real mines in varying stages of development are an infinity of near-mines, prospect mines, and mining companies, and these, baited with the lure of the real gold in the others, are being foisted on the public by all the old tricks of shady promotion—and some new ones.

Watch out! You'd better know the truth about the camp and its promotion before the harm is done, instead of afterward.

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COURT TO REVIEW THE SUBWAY TERMS

City and Interborough Likely to Agree on Statement of Fact for Adjudication.

DOUBT AS TO PREFERENCES

Rumors of B. R. T.'s Withdrawal, but President Williams Says Why He Relies on the City's Good Faith.

Counsel for the Interborough and the Public Service Commission continued yesterday their conferences on the legal phases of an assignment of part of the new subways to the Interborough, giving particular attention to a possible means of effecting preferential payments to the operating companies without violating the State Constitution.

Preparations are being made to bring the question before the courts as soon as the agreement with the Interborough is effected. A taxpayer's action would undoubtedly be started by some one opposed to the subway plan, and it is thought better that the Interborough and the city should submit the legal issue themselves. It was said yesterday by one of the city's officials that probably an agreed statement of facts will be laid before the Appellate Division, thus avoiding delay in going through the Supreme Court.

If the Appellate Division decides in favor of the proposed preferential the suit would not likely be carried further. If it was adverse, then there would be an appeal to the Court of Appeals. As subway rapid transit actions are expedited in the courts, and on account of their importance to the community are not obliged to wait their turn on the calendar, it is expected that a decision could be obtained from the Court of Appeals within six months. This would not cause any delay, as there is more than six months' preliminary work to be done by the Public Service Commission in the preparation of plans and so on before the actual construction work can begin.

Doubt About B. R. T., Too.

In both the suggested arrangements with the Interborough and the B. R. T. preferential payments to the operating companies are proposed. The Interborough is asking for 8.76 per cent. on the $125,000,000 that it will have invested in the old and the new subways, and the B. R. T. requests the right to reserve before the payment of any fixed charges for new construction or equipment a sum out of the earnings of its lines equivalent to its net profits for one year on its present lines. A lawyer of standing declared yesterday that it appeared to him that the preferences asked by the B. R. T. are the more likely to be ruled unconstitutional.

In the case of the proposed agreement with the Interborough the preference will be given on a road built by the city and owned by the city. In the case of the B. R. T. the preference would be allowed on a road with the construction and operation of which the city has had nothing to do. Though it is probable from the financial point of view that the preference on the B. R. T. proposal will be more easily earned than on the Interborough's, legally the courts are likely to regard more favorably the use of the city's credit in connection with a city-owned line than a privately-owned one.

The B. R. T. officials are confident that a way will be found to get around this legal difficulty, but there is a feeling of uneasiness at its headquarters over the present drift of subway negotiations. Its officers want to get definitely to work and are annoyed with the length of time that has elapsed without the advertisement of the operating contract. They feel that their company came to the assistance of the city at a critical moment and assented to whatever modifications of their plans the city asked, and that now after six months they have still nothing but an academic expression of opinion of the Board of Estimate to rely upon, while all the Interborough talk tends to undermine their confidence.

Rumored Break With B. R. T.

Mayor Gaynor's attitude on the Fifty-ninth Street route, which will be brought up in the Board of Estimate for discussion this morning, has still further added to their discomfort, and there is the possibility that the Mayor will also refuse to assent to the tunnel under the East River at the southern end of the Broadway route, which would effectually isolate that section of the subway. There have been rumors that the B. R. T. may yet withdraw, but Col. Timothy S. Williams, President of the company, refused to discuss such reports yesterday.

"I have no doubt of the good faith of the city," was all he would say, "and I cannot discuss what we should do if the new Interborough proposal is accepted. We are only considering the arrangement of last July."

The lines granted to the B. R. T. in addition to the Broadway and Lexington Avenue lines were the Fourth Avenue, Brooklyn, line; the loop in Manhattan, the Astoria and Corona extensions from the Queensboro Bridge, the line under the East River from Fourteenth Street to East New York, and a line along Jackson Avenue in Queens from the Queensboro Plaza to the present Myrtle Avenue Elevated line.

Mayor Gaynor is opposed to accepting the B. R. T. proposal unless it makes some agreement by which it will transfer to its new subway lines in Manhattan its passengers from its surface cars in the same way as it will give transfers between its elevated and subway routes. He takes the view that there is no reason to differentiate between one class of passengers and another, as the nickels go to the same company. The B. R. T. is distinctly averse, it is understood, to any such agreement, but the Mayor is so confident that if the Brooklyn company refused to operate the Broadway line it would be easy to get an operator for the route that he is not disposed to give way upon this point.

Debt Limit Figures in Preferences.

Chairman Willcox has expressed the view that there is no fear that by the time the new subways are in working order there will not be sufficient traffic for them to meet all their expenses and pay both the operating companies and the city the preferential payments. It was, however, pointed out yesterday that this is of particular importance, as a falling off for even a year would have a prejudicial effect on the city's debt limit. By a recent amendment of the law self-sustaining rapid transit bonds are not counted in reckoning the city's debt limit. But if in any year the bonds proved to be not self-sustaining at once they would have to be counted in as one of the liabilities of the city, and the amount the city could borrow would be decreased by an equal quantity. Any failure, therefore, in the earning power of the new subways to reach expectations would hamper the building of new lines and other important city improvements.

The Board of Directors of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company had one of their regular weekly meetings yesterday, but at its conclusion Mr. Shonts said that he had nothing to announce.

Borough President McAneny said that he had not yet seen the draft of the Interborough proposals, and he has as yet no definite information that any offer would come from the company. However, a development is expected in the next day or two.

The suit of the Admiral Realty Company to restrain Mayor Gaynor and the city from the construction of the Lexington Avenue Subway has been set down for a hearing before Justice Guy in the Supreme Court on Feb. 12.

SUBWAY SECTION 2 AWARDED.

Degnon Contracting Company, Lowest Bidder, Gets It.

The Public Service Commission awarded yesterday the contract for the construction of Section 2 of the Broadway subway to the Degnon Contracting Company, the lowest bidder. Its bid was $2,335,828.50. The next lowest bidder was the Cranford Company, with $2,404,559, and the Bradley Contracting Company, which has obtained a majority of the subway construction contracts, came fifth with an offer of $2,530,304.

The section extends from Park Place to Walker Street, where it connects with Section 3, the contract for which was let last week by the commission to the Underpinning and Foundation Company. Section 2 includes a station at City Hall. The commission sent yesterday a letter to the Board of Estimate requesting it to appropriate the money for the section, but it cannot be taken up at to-day's meeting of the Board save by unanimous consent. The construction work must be begun within sixty days of the execution of the contract.

BY TROLLEY TO QUEENS.

New Line Over the Queensboro Bridge Is Successfully Inaugurated.

The Third Avenue Bridge Company, a subsidiary of the Third Avenue Railway Company, inaugurated regular service over the Queensboro Bridge yesterday afternoon, Maurice E. Connolly, Borough President of Queens, riding on the first car over. A regular schedule on a three-minute headway was maintained throughout the evening.

Frederick W. Whitridge, President of the Third Avenue Railway Company, had invited the officers of the company and about 200 leading citizens of Queens to fill four cars and ride the length of the route. The guests assembled at the Bridge Plaza and Jackson Avenue, on the Queens side, and the first car left at 4:12 P. M. It reached Third Avenue, running on Sixtieth Street, at 4:20, then going by way of Third Avenue and Forty-second Street, reached the Grand Central Station at 4:30, Times Square at 4:35, and the West Forty-second Street ferry at 4:40.

The first car was in charge of Motorman James Rooney and Conductor Jeremiah Hickey.

There was no cash register in the car and the Queens citizens did not have to pay the regular five-cents, but they insisted on subscribing a quarter each for the crew. On the return trip President Whitridge entertained his guests at the Knickerbocker Hotel.

Among those who took part in the initial trip were President W. J. Quinn, Vice President James J. Feeley, Chief Engineer T. F. Mullaney, General Storekeeper J. F. Foulk, Engineer E. M. T. Ryder, Assistant General Manager A. L. Klabach, of the Third Avenue Bridge Company; Charles Banghart, Transportation Superintendent of the New York and Queens Electric Railway; A. L. Langdon of the Long Island Railroad, G. Howland Leavitt, Alderman George M. O'Connor, William H. Williams, President of the Queens Chamber of Commerce; H. Pushae Williams, Henry A. Cassabeer, George J. Murphy, Superintendent of the Third Avenue line; Judge Lucius N. Manley, Magistrate John A. Leach, George J. Ryan, George W. Dunlap, and E. Connett, attaches of the Public Service Commission; Jarvis Hicks, John H. Prall, Alvin T. Payne, Capt. Frederick W. Russell, John J. Halleran, W. Elmer Payntar, Walter I. Willis, Clinton T. Roe, Tredwell D. Carpenter, John L. Klages, and Henry S. Johnston.

30 AUTOS IN FLAMES.

Garage Blaze Threatens the Brooklyn Union League Club.

A fire which started yesterday afternoon in the Bergen-Bedford Garage, at 35 Grant Square, Brooklyn, next door to the Brooklyn Union League Club, spread a grave fear among the first firemen who arrived lest the clubhouse, a costly furnished building valued at $225,000, should also catch fire. Three alarms were sent in, and Deputy Battalion Chief O'Hara put a large force of men to work fighting the flames. They were successful. The fire was confined to the garage, and the only loss suffered by the Union League Club was in windows broken and from water flying over from the burning building.

The fire started on the second floor of the garage, and went swifty through the next story, which was the top. It was followed by three loud explosions of gasoline tanks. There were twoscore of cars in the building, and half of these were owned by the garage company, of which M. Reve is President. The cars on the second and third floors were all burned, though in some cases the engines and metal work of the cars were not a total loss. About thirty cars in all were a prey to the flames. On the gound floor was the Stutz and Abbott-Detroit agencies, and their cars were injured chiefly by the water that poured on them from the upper floors. The garage company's loss was estimated at $30,000, while a like figure was added for the privately owned machines that were there in storage.

A trip through the Union League Club revealed broken windows in the card room on the top floor, in the dining room on the third, in the billiard room on the second, and a few on the main floor. In the rear of the building, where an extension spreads out toward the garage building, leaving only about ten feet of space between the two buildings, the windows were all broken and water was thrown in. The wind at the time the fire was at its worst was low, which accounted in some measure for the successful checking of it within the garage. C. H. Pearson of 12 Broadway, of the House Committee, said he thought $1,000 would cover all the damage to the club, and that everything was fully insured.

HONEYMOON SPOILED BY MOTHER-IN-LAW

T. L. Reynolds Says She Demanded a Chateau in France and a Home on Hudson.

NOW WIFE IS SUING HIM

Told to Take Mother Away, She Never Came Back, and Just After Getting a $3,500 Ring, Too.

Thomas L. Reynolds, President of the Thomas L. Reynolds Company, Incorporated, of 39 East Forty-second Street, and Mary House of Little Rock, Ark., were married two months ago to-day in the Church of the Ascension, on lower Fifth Avenue, by the Rev. Percy Stickney Grant. To-day he is in New York and she is in Little Rock. Already he has been served with papers in a separation suit, and yesterday he arrived in town, breathing defiance, determined to fight and meditating various suits and countersuits.

"It is all a case of mother-in-law," said Mr. Reynolds, with considerable bitterness, and then added that, to speak pleasantly of it, his honeymoon was a nightmare.

Behind this remark there is a story, and here it is as Mr. Reynolds told it yesterday afternoon sitting in the office of his real estate company, on the corner of Madison Avenue and Forty-second Street:

He met Mary House in October in a company gathered at the home of a Mrs. Egan, in Tarrytown. He had been married before, but he and his wife previously had been separated by due process of law previous to this meeting. He thought, and still thinks, the Little Rock woman "one of the most beautiful girls in the South." She is only 25 and he is 44, but the disparity in age made no difference to them. In six weeks they were standing together before the high altar of Ascension Church.

Up to this point in the narrative of Mr. Reynolds' matrimonial adventure everything is smooth. Enter Mrs. Mary Louis House of Little Rock, widow of a cotton planter of the South and the mother of the bride.

"The very night we were married," said the disgruntled husband, "she came to the Manhattan Hotel with us and stayed there. Next morning, when I took my wife to my home in Hastings, Mrs. House came along. That morning as I was walking up and down the veranda of my home she joined me and said:

"'Thomas, you ought to buy Mary a diamond necklace, and she ought to have a pearl necklace, and of course she must have a big house on the Hudson and a château in France. And just now I think we'd better pack up everything and go to Egypt.'"

Whether Mr. Reynolds did anything more than gasp at these lavish proposals is not recorded, but things went along with no outward discord until the Christmas season, when Reynolds was astounded at learning that his mother-in-law had called on his lawyer and for four hours had pumped him as to the nature, value and condition of Mr. Reynolds's securities.

This was too much. When Mrs. Reynolds called up that afternoon to say "we" would meet him and go out with him to Hastings, he asked, "Who are 'we?'"

That was the beginning of the end. He told Mrs. Reynolds that he had not married her mother, and that she, Mrs. House, should never again darken his doorway, or words to that effect. "Why doesn't she go back to Little Rock?" he wanted to know, and after much talk it was arranged that Mrs. Reynolds should take her mother home.

They left for the South on Jan. 3. Endearing letters, according to Mr. Reynolds, were directed to him in New York. One dated Jan. 12 asked plaintively when he was going to send for her. Then came a startling missive bearing the date of the 13th. Mrs. Reynolds begged to inform him that she never was coming back; that when she had left New York she did it with the intention of never returning to him.

Mr. Reynolds was much distressed. He hurried downtown to a consultation with Edward Lauterbach. Then he made some hasty business arrangements and on the morning of Friday of last week a special train bore him into Little Rock. At 1 o'clock that afternoon he was served with papers in a separation suit, accompanied by a petition for alimony. The allegation was cruelty.

By his own account, Mr. Reynolds is a lawyer himself. His first move was an immediate request for a bill of particulars. Then he retained the services of a Little Rock attorney, made several futile efforts to see his wife and finally left Little Rock for Pine Bluff. Yesterday saw him back in New York, again in consultation with Mr. Lauterbach and ready to show fight in the courts at the earliest opportunity.

First of all, he said, yesterday, he plans to bring an action against that mother-in-law. It will be for the alienation of his wife's affections, and he will ask $250,000 damages.

Second, he hopes to start a suit to have his marriage annulled on the ground that the woman who was married to him never cared for him at all, and this he takes from one of her own letters, in which she wrote that she had felt "a hypocrite" all the time that she was with him.

He was asked by a bewildered reporter yesterday whether he thought it would be quite consistent for him to bring a suit for the alienation of affections that never existed, according to the basis of another suit, but he went on to tell how he would meet the charge of cruelty.

"During the time that she lived with me," he said, "my house at Hastings was open to a lot of company. We had guests there all the time, for I entertained in style. Now, any of those people can testify that a girl was never treated finer than I treated her, and I have a list of eighteen of the most prominent people in New York whom I shall ask so to testify.

"Do you know," he continued, as his reminiscences stirred him up, "I think I'll try to take this matter before the Grand Jury. Those two women had the Indian sign on me, all right. I ought to have tumbled before, I suppose. Why, two days before we were married I gave her a diamond engagement ring that cost me $1,000 and the very next day she gave it back and said she wanted something good. Like a chump, I got her one that cost $3,500. Oh, I was easy, all right."

In substantiation of his theory that it was the mother-in-law's hand that parted them Mr. Reynolds said that his wife's mother had tied her daughter fast to her by executing a will that left the younger woman all her property. It amounts, he thinks, to no more than $75,000 at the most, and according to information he gained on his recent trip to Little Rock, that will was made the day before he reached there.

Mr. Reynolds is a man verging on portliness in build, with a pointed beard and heavy mustache of reddish tinge.

POET WATSON SURE TO COME.

Cables Word That He'll Read His Own Poem at Dickens Celebration.

William Watson, the English poet, notified the Dickens Centenary Committee by cable yesterday that he would sail within a few days for New York, bringing with him the poem he has written to commemorate the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Charles Dickens, and which he will read at the Dickens anniversary meeting in Carnegie Hall on the evening of Feb. 7 next.

Miss Edith Wynne Matthison, by permission of Winthrop Ames, formerly Director of The New Theatre, will read "Little Dorrit's Party" at the meeting. In an interview Miss Matthison says:

"I have selected this immortal character from Dickens's works because it is most typical of his pathos, and shows that sentiment in every age is the same."

A bronze medal, especially designed for the occasion and issued by the Dickens Centenary Committee, bears the head of Dickens on one side and on the reverse side the following inscription: "To commemorate the 100th anniversary of the birth of Charles Dickens, February 7, 1912." The medals will be put on sale, and the proceeds from these and from the Dickens stamps will be devoted to the Dickens fund, in England, now being raised for the benefit of the novelist's four granddaughters.

Hamilton Wright Mabie will preside at the celebration in Carnegie Hall. Miss Mary Angela Dickens of London, a granddaughter of Charles Dickens, will deliver an address. Others who will speak are Dr. Henry van Dyke, Augustus Thomas, John H. Finley, President of the College of the City of New York, and Elgin R. L. Gould, former City Chamberlain.

CHINESE BEWILDER COURT.

Intricacies of Interpreting Make Taking of Testimony Difficult.

Magistrate O'Connor expressed the wish yesterday afternoon that he knew Chinese, when two witnesses disagreed about the meaning of certain inflections in their own tongue and held up the trial of Mock Duck, an alleged gambling house proprietor of 21 Pell Street, through their different versions of signs which were found in Duck's shop.

Harry Lewis, a Chinese student of Columbia, was called to read the signs, said to be gambling signs. He testified that they might mean one thing—and then again, they might not. He refused absolutely to jeopardize the prestige of his National language by declaring that "duck" was not equivalent to "tac." He smiled patronizingly on the Anglo-Saxon ignorance of counsel, and said that the Court might understand if he devoted twenty years to close study of the Chinese inflectional variations.

Magistrate O'Connor finally decided to dismiss the charge that there was a policy game in Duck's basement, and held Duck for the Grand Jury on the charge of owning and operating a gambling house. It was in Duck's basement, on Jan. 5, that a Chinaman was shot dead. Police Lieut. Van Curen testified that he found Duck and a few others gambling at a table.

Recitals for a Literary Charity.

For the benefit of the Church Periodical Club, Marshall Darrach will give three recitals in the ballroom of the Plaza on Saturday mornings in February at 11 o'clock. The subjects are: Feb. 3, "The Tempest;" Feb. 10, "Julius Caesar;" Feb. 17, "Twelfth Night." The Church Periodical Club supplies books and periodicals to people in all parts of the country who are unable to obtain good literature in any other way. Tickets for the course are $2.50, and single tickets $1, and may be obtained at the Church Periodical Club, 281 Fourth Avenue.

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Such is the idea of a thrilling story of mystery by Mary Austin, author of "The Arrow Maker," one of the plays of the New Theatre. This as a sample of the short stories.

The same number contains five articles on vital questions of current interest: "Germany's Foreign Trade," Wickersham's reply to recent criticisms of his activities against Trusts, Wiley on Back to the Farm, Ross on the Middle West, and Cooper on the American Undergraduate. This February number is a great issue of a great magazine.

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INQUIRY INTO BUTTER COST

District Attorney Whitman Orders an Investigation of Charge That Price Is Fixed.

A million and a half pounds of poultry, alive and cackling, packed in some seventy unwanted cars on sidetracks in railroad yards of Jersey City, Hoboken, and Weehawken, are crying to the poor consumer for a killing. The "killing" this time, however, is to apply not only to the chickens, but equally to the shippers, who, according to indications yesterday, may lose from 6 to 8 cents a pound on the poultry surplus, a loss of about $1,400 a car, or nearly $100,000 for this week.

Never before, the local commission men complained yesterday, has there been so great a surplus of live poultry in the trade in a single week; and further heavy shipments are expected.

While these conditions naturally tend to insure low prices to the consumer, he received more good news yesterday, good only from his standpoint, of course, in regard to another product—butter—the price of which has been abnormally high.

District Attorney Whitman has instructed Assistant District Attorney William A. De Ford to institute an investigation of the charge that the price of butter in New York City is illegally fixed. The matter will be called before the Grand Jury on Tuesday, Jan. 30, and in the event of any important findings the inquiry will be brought before a City Magistrate, as was done in the ice investigation.

Mr. De Ford said yesterday that he would call six witnesses before the Grand Jury, but that he was not yet in a position to name them.

When asked his reasons for starting the investigation Mr. Whitman said:

"I have seen the newspaper agitation about a conspiracy in this city for the fixing of exorbitant prices in butter. I want to find out whether there is any truth in these statements or not. I have been prompted by no one in this action."

Why There Are Too Many Chickens.

The trouble in the poultry market, according to dealers interviewed yesterday, is the result of erroneous predictions telegraphed last week throughout the country by a large auction concern here.

These dispatches prophesied that in view of hard weather conditions the price of chicken would this week soar as high as 20 to 22 cents wholesale.

"This," in the language of the chief poultry dealers here yesterday, "set all shippers crazy."

Immediately, throughout the West and Southwest, shippers scoured the farms, in every State from Oklahoma to Illinois, buying up live poultry at from 12½ to 14 cents a pound.

"That same poultry," it was said at the office of Charles Collins & Co. yesterday, "is to-day selling here at 11½ to 13 cents a pound. Moreover, the shipper loses an additional 4 cents a pound in freight and shrinkage, and a commission fee of 4 or 5 per cent., bringing his loss up to 7 cents a pound, or $1,400 on a car of 20,000 pounds."

With each carload of live poultry, moreover, a man known as a feeder is sent from the Far Western State, to feed and water the chickens. His wages and the shrinkage of the poultry in weight while packed in cars—about 1,000 pounds a week for each car—means an additional expense to the shipper of $100 to $150 a week for each car. Since the beginning of the week 147 cars have been received here, the heaviest record known in the trade.

To bring about a readjustment, local commission men are telegraphing to shippers in every State to hold back the supply of live poultry and reduce their buying prices to the farmers.

Congestion to Last Over a Week.

"It will take at least a week or ten days," it was said at the office of Collins & Co., "before the congestion in the live poultry market is relieved. That will probably be brought about by the shippers refusing to send live poultry and sending instead dressed poultry. More than 95 per cent. of the live poultry sent here is for consumption in the Jewish kosher poultry trade, the non-Jewish butchers buying dressed poultry. The kosher poultry trade has heretofore consumed about 100 cars of live poultry a week, and once the shipments of live poultry are curtailed that trade will have to draw on the surplus supply now on hand."

Even so the loss to the shipper will be great. Robert Boyer, representing the firm of I. V. Edgerton of Chicago, who held a car for almost a week trying to save as much as possible in the slump, declared that in twenty years' experience he had never seen conditions like those at present.

The swamping of the live poultry market began last week, it was said at the office of the New York Produce Review, when 169 cars were received here, as against an average of from 70 to 100 cars. No less than 70 were carried over unsold on the tracks. The paper said yesterday:

"Receipts unloaded to-day, 21 carloads of Western, 3 carloads of Southwestern, and 1 carload of Southern by freight, and fully 2 cars scattering by express. Fully 60 cars or more are still being held on the tracks under shippers' limits."

Prices of 14 to 16½ cents, brought last week, had fallen to 12 and 12½ cents yesterday. Latest telegraphic reports yesterday gave the holdings of live poultry on track at the different distributing centres as follows: Kansas City, 28 cars; Chicago, 15 cars; Pittsburgh, 3 cars; Boston, 12 cars, and 12 more in the Southwest.

Butter to be Cheaper.

Butter, which had been higher in New York in the last few days than it has been since the civil war, bids fair to be cheaper. The wholesale price of Elgin butter has already been cut to 37 cents a pound, and the prices housewives pay are also expected soon to decline from their high-water mark of 48 and 50 cents as soon as the retailers get around to them. The top-notch figure for wholesale butter prices, maintained for three out of the last four weeks was 44½ cents. Yesterday, however, wholesalers were selling best butter at 39 cents a pound, a fall of 4 cents since Saturday. The same grade costs retailers 45 cents, owing to the expense of printing, 1½ cents; boxing, 1 cent; expressage, ½ cent, and the retailer's profit.

"The market is rather unsettled and irregular," reported The Producers' Price-Current yesterday evening. "A good many jobbers report a lighter trade and a heavier use of substitutes, and the few buyers of finest fresh creamery to-day are very conservative."

Arrivals of fresh eggs were very light yesterday, and there were indications of light supply in transit. Commenting on this, The Price-Current says:

"Demand for fresh goods in regular distributing channels continues quite dull, though it appears to be absorbing the quantity now arriving, and effecting a slight reduction in the accumulations, some of which have been forced out at cut prices because the thawing frozen eggs in them (criers) made prompt sale imperative. And the storage reserve is steadily wearing down at a rate which, if continued, would leave but a small quantity unsold at the end of next week."

Fresh gathered firsts sold at 35 cents a dozen wholesale, yesterday; fresh gathered seconds at 31 cents, and thirds, or poorer grades, at 25 cents. Refrigerator eggs of fancy variety sold at from 29½ to 30 cents, and the cheaper varieties at from 24 to 18 cents.

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Girl Companion Takes Wounded Man to Hospital—Assailant Escapes.

With his throat cut within a quarter of an inch of the jugular vein and his clothing saturated with blood, a young man, assisted by a young woman, staggered into the admitting ward of Bellevue Hospital early to-day, after walking from Sixteenth Street and Third Avenue, twelve blocks distant, where he was attacked by a man with a razor. This man made his escape.

The injured man said he was Daniel Wagne, 25 years old, of 533 Sixth Street. The young woman said she was Miss Florence Sullivan, a telephone operator, of 131 Grand Street, Hoboken, N. J. Wagne became unconscious shortly after being placed on an operating table. He was later revived and interviewed by detectives. He said he did not know the identity of the man who assaulted him and was ignorant of his motive.

"Mr. Wagne and I attended a theatre in Fourteenth Street near Irving Place," said Miss Sullivan. "When we left the theatre he proposed that we go to a restaurant. I consented. We walked along Fourteenth Street to Third Avenue. When we reached the corner of Sixteenth Street and Third Avenue I saw a man in a slouch hat and a long overcoat approach Mr. Wagne.

"Neither said a word. The man's right hand, that had been concealed in his overcoat pocket, appeared. In it was a razor. I screamed. Mr. Wagne attempted to struggle with the man, but before he could seize his hand the stranger had passed the razor across his throat. Mr. Wagne's hands dropped limply at his side and he would have fallen on the sidewalk if I had not caught him."

ADOLF LINK IN A DRAMA.

Gives Fine Characterization of an Old Italian in "Pietro Caruso."

Adolf Link, the visiting star at the Irving Place Theatre, appeared there last night in Roberto Bracco's one-act drama, "Pietro Caruso." The play is a Neapolitan tragedy with only three characters, and its story and the acting of Herr Link held the large audience to the end.

Pietro Caruso is an old drunkard with a beautiful daughter, whom he worships in a maudlin way. Count Fabricio Fabrizi, her only lover, calls at the house to buy from the old man some of the letters he has sent the girl. Not understanding the Count's reason, the father gives up the letters, and is then surprised at the sum offered him. The daughter confesses that the money is the price of her shame, and after the first outburst of rage on the father's part he pleads with the Count to marry her. The Count points out that it is impossible for him to marry the daughter of a drunkard like Pietro, and then the old man says he will remove that obstacle by promising never to be seen again. When the Count has gone and Pietro has learned from the daughter extent of her love, he puts a revolver in his pocket and leaves the house, obviously with the intention of killing himself.

Herr Link gave a fine characterization of the old Italian, and Anni Foerster and Erich Ehrhart-Platen played the daughter and the Count respectively. Following the one-act piece, the farce "Have You Nothing to Declare?" was repeated. To-night "Das Suesse Maedel" will be given.

Nathaniel Whittier Emerson Dead.

Nathaniel Whittier Emerson, a cotton factor of 38 Wall Street, died yesterday at his home, 293 Lenox Avenue. He was born in Cincinnati in 1829 and was a graduate of St. Francis Xavier's College in this city. In 1876 he came to this city and bought a seat on the Cotton Exchange. He retired from the Exchange in 1885, but kept up an interest in the business. He came from a Colonial family. His grandfather, Nehemiah Emerson, fought through the Revolution. His mother was a granddaughter of Commodore Thomas Truxton, a Revolutionary hero. In 1858 Mr. Emerson married Susan Key Bond. She died a year ago. He was a member of the Union League Club and the Society of the Cincinnati.

SHIP TURNS FURNACE, CREW NEAR DESPAIR

Water Pumped on the Iron Deck Turns to Steam as on a Griddle.

MEN'S FEET ARE SCORCHED

Fire in the Coal of the Steamer Birchfield Burns for Days — In Port Here.

First Officer Alexander Field paced the bridge of the British steamer Birchfield running over in his mind the days which must elapse before the vessel should dock at Tompkinsville, S. I., and end her maiden cruise, which started at Liverpool on June 3 last and carried the steamer to Montevideo, in Uruguay, where she got up steam for this port on Dec. 3. The vessel was three days out—the men told of it yesterday when the steamer tied up to the American Docks in Tompkinsville—and Mr. Field had just made it six bells in the afternoon watch.

It was Ben Fidd, able seaman on fifty trips around the Horn, who interrupted the officer's reverie to call attention to smoke which oozed from the four ventilators rising amidship from the deck. Capt. Thomas Orinoston was below, but Mr. Field routed him out and the officers began an investigation of the hold.

They traced the smoke to the coal bunkers, where it was densest, and discovered that spontaneous combustion had set the huge masses of coal afire at the bottom. The heat was intense and the officers scrambled back for the deck, where all hands were called to fire drill. The pumps were started and lines of hose were run down into the bunkers, where the men took turns relieving one another at the nozzles. But the tons of water which were poured over the volcano of smoking coals seemed to have no effect. The heat increased and with it the smoke till the fire fighters were driven further and further from the bunkers.

The pumps were working at full speed and every line of hose aboard ship was utilized, but still the fire gained, and recalling coal mines in this country, of which he had read and which had burned for years, Capt. Orinoston ordered full speed ahead, announcing that the only hope was to run to Pernambuco in Brazil where the town firemen might save the ship.

Then began a race which lasted for seven days. Steadily the fire gained, though the men fought it day and night. The smoke increased till nowhere except on deck could a man breathe without gasping and choking. The heat increased, too, till the iron plates of the deck began to grow warm. Paint on the interior woodwork near the coal bunkers blistered as the temperature rose and rose. The waist of the ship below decks was an inferno, into which no man could go. Everything near by was kept wet. In a day or two the men had abandoned all efforts to reach the coal bunkers themselves.

The officers joined the crew of twenty-six men in taking a turn at the lines of hose, but, though they rested and slept only in relays, leaving always a force to guide water toward the fire and over the ship, the heat from the burning coal increased. It became as though the ship were some huge furnace. Within its bowels the coal roared and cracked. The heat radiated from it in waves till the iron structure of the ship became hot to the touch.

And still the terrible heat increased. Water which fell on the iron deck plates sizzled and then turned to steam. The men began to feel the warmth through the soles of their heavy shoes. An odor of burning leather rose whenever a man stood still upon the deck.

The weather was chill. It was no balmy Summer sea through which they raced, yet the men discarded their sweaters. Piece by piece their clothing went, till in shirt and trousers they flushed the decks down with sea water. It rushed from the hose nozzle and spread over the deck in a widening circle, as though it would sweep the ship from stem to stern, but even the steady pressure behind it could not drive the thin film of the advance guard far over the deck. As its volume diminished over an increasing area the water turned warm, then hot, then dried into steam upon the deck.

It was Dec. 20 when they sighted Pernambuco, and Capt. Orinoston headed his vessel for a pier. Aboard were thirty-odd exhausted men who for the last day had suffered torment on a deck which was like a griddle. The Fire Department was called and the worn-out officers and crew watched while for four days the fire fighters wrestled with the blaze below the Birchfield's deck. Then they quenched the fire.

The steamer, launched only last May, a glory of white paint and shining brass, resembled an old tramp of the sea. Her paint was blistered and her woodwork scarred by the heat. Her iron plates showed dull and dirty where their coating of paint had been burned away. The vessel was coaled again, and on Dec. 29 left for this port. She arrived at Tompkinsville early yesterday morning, when the present cold snap commenced.

But Capt. Orinoston and his men didn't mind it. Ben Fidd stood bareheaded on the deck yesterday as he told of the fire and pointed to spots on the iron plates where he said he had fried flapjacks when the galley grew too hot for occupancy.

EX-CITY OFFICIAL INDICTED.

Philadelphia Former Public Safety Head and Others Charged with Fraud.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—The Grand Jury found true bills to-day against Henry Clay, former Director of Public Safety; Carl Zilenziger, City Architect; John R. Wiggins, and Willard H. Walls, President and Treasurer, respectively, of the John H. Wiggins Manufacturing Company, on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the city of $200,000.

It is charged that Clay favored the contracting company in the awarding of municipal contracts.

CLOSE ON THE TRAIL OF PACKERS' REPORTS

Weekly Summaries of Business Are Traced to Office of the National Company.

SAY TRUST HEADS MET THERE

Employe's Evidence Brings Some of Alleged Offenses Within Period in Which Prosecution Is Possible.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 24.—Weekly summaries, showing the amount of business done by subsidiary companies of the National Packing Company, were traced to the downtown office of that concern at the packers' trial to-day.

Steiner G. Langher, a former margin figurer for the G. H. Hammond Company, told how he made up these summaries and sent them to the office of the National Company every Monday, but he insisted he did not know who received them.

Edward Tilden, President of the corporation and one of the defendants, has his office in the Rookery and the Government asserts that the packers met each Tuesday in the same building, exchanged information, and made agreements.

Langher also told of sending copies of branch house reports and packing plant summaries to L. B. Patterson, head of the beef cost department of the National Packing Company. He explained at length the methods used in figuring margins and said he remained in that department until June, 1910, which brings any offense, which may be shown by his testimony, within the period in which the packers might be prosecuted.

At the beginning of the day's session records of the National were read, which demonstrated that there had been a continued strong market for hides from March, 1909, to September, 1910, immediately following the two-year period in which it was shown no allowance was made for hides.

The Government contends that the hide sales make up "hidden profits." The reading of records by months from March, 1909, to April, 1910, showed that during that time the receipts for hides was $3,362,092.70.

On cross-examination at the close of five days' session William Weber, who figured the test costs for the National, declared emphatically that he never received any instructions from Edward Tilden, President of the concern, nor discussed with him what items were to be considered in figuring the costs. He declared that the test cost had nothing to do with the price of beef to the consumer.

'HOKEY POKEY' AUCTION SALE

Seats for Weber and Fields First Night to be Sold to Bidders.

Weber and Fields issued a statement yesterday to all of those who have made application for first night's seats for the opening performance of "Hokey Pokey" and "Bunty Bulls and Strings," announcing their inability to fill even a small number of the orders, and their intention of holding an auction sale of the first night tickets. Mr. Fields said that an auction sale was the only solution of the difficulty they have found themselves in. There have been 10,000 applications, he said, and the seating capacity of the Broadway Theatre is less than 2,000, so it would be impossible to allot any tickets in the usual way without causing resentment and hard feelings.

At the sale purchasers of seats will have to be known personally to Mr. Weber or Mr. Fields, or identify themselves, in order to prevent ticket speculators from getting any of the seats. Tickets for opening performances at the old Music Hall were always disposed of in the same way.

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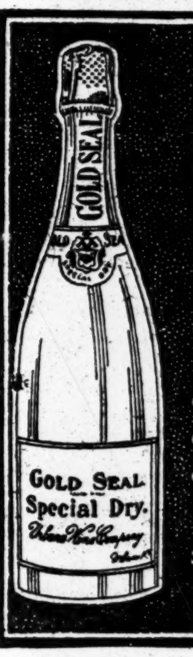

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ABE ATTELL'S DOPE STORY IS REFUTED

Witnesses Before Boxing Commission Say Little Fighter Is Going Back.

DID HIS BEST AGAINST BROWN

Tom O'Rourke, Patsy Haley, Dr. Safian, Knockout Brown, Danny Morgan Chief Witnesses at Hearing.

The investigation into the recent Abe Attell-Knockout Brown bout by the State Athletic Commission was continued yesterday afternoon at the commission's office, 41 Park Row. Both Attell and the National Sporting Club were represented by counsel, and almost four hours were taken up in the direct and cross-examination by the Commisioners and the two attorneys of the seven witnesses called upon to testify. At 6 o'clock the hearing was adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon. Attorney Isadore Cohn represented Attell and Attorney Nathan Vidaver was counsel for the club.

All the seven witnesses were unanimous on the point that Attell's performance was far below championship calibre, ard all except Brown had some good reason for Attell's poor work. Brown was not questioned much on this point after he had told that he considered that Attell did as well as he could. Danny Morgan, who is Brown's manager; Referee Fatsy Haley, Tom O'Rourke, and Charles Doesserick, the latter explaining that he is managing director of the club, gave as their opinion that Attell has gone back, and that he did his very best against Brown. Haley put more stress on the difficulty of boxing a left-handed boy than the others, and figured that much of Attell's trouble was due to this fact. Dr. Joseph Safian gave as his opinion that Attell had stalled during the bout, and Danny Goodman, Attell's chief second, was uncertain as to what was the real reason. He testified that Attell was far from right, after training longer than usual, and he suspected that it was from the cocaine, but would make no direct charge that Attell had been doped.

Efforts to bring forth any evidence of collusion between the boxers themselves or with the club management whereby some arrangements or bets had been made so that Attell would "pull" in favor of Brown, were in vain, this being strenuously denied by Brown, Morgan, O'Rourke, and Doesserick. Danny Goodman testified that he knew of no such arrangement, and that as far as he knew Attell went in to win and was under no "pull." Dr. Safian disclaimed any knowledge of any betting whatever, and denied emphatically the charge made by Attell that he (Dr. Safian) had been sent to him by O'Rourke. The physician testified that Attell had made the request a week before. While it was not brought out in the hearing it was stated yesterday that Dr. Safian will probably institute legal proceedings against Attell because of his charges as soon as the boxer returns from California.

The Commissioners and the attorneys endeavored in the course of the hearing to learn something about the inside workings of the National Sporting Club, and some interesting testimony developed. After Tom O'Rourke had completed his direct testimony, Attorney Isadore Cohn, counsel for Attell, began to fire questions at O'Rourke regarding his connection with the National Club, and after answering several of the questions O'Rourke finally became impatient.

"What have all these questions got to do with the charge that Attell was doped?" Mr. O'Rourke shouted back at Attorney Cohn. "I did not know that I was here to be tried for my connection with that club." He had previously testified that he had severed his relations with the club because of a ruling of the State Athletic Commission, and the continuous fire of questions gave out the impression that the hearing was to prove that he was still an official of the club.

Charles Doesserick, who has held the position of managing director of the National Sporting Club since the commission ruled that O'Rourke must not second any boxers there, while presumably the club's guiding spirit, furnished some very interesting testimony. He objected to a question by Attorney Cohn about the amount of stock O'Rourke had in the club, which Doesserick testified he had purchased some months ago, but Commissioner O'Neil ruled that the question was all right.

"He held 60 per cent. of the stock," replied Doesserick.

"How much did you pay for that stock?" asked Attorney Cohn.

"I paid $3,500," replied the witness.

"By check or in cash?" asked the attorney.

"I paid $2,500 down in cash and the remainder with a note," said Doesserick.

"Did you draw it on any bank?" was the next question.

"No," replied Doesserick.

"Oh, I understand," Attorney Cohn returned, "you carry it around with you."

Dr. Joseph Safian, the first witness, testifed that he has been a practicing physician in New York for five years, and that he has administered cocaine in hundreds of cases. He stated that a few minutes before the bout last Thursday night he injected one dose of 1 per cent. solution, or one-fifth of a grain, of cocaine in the thumb of Attell's right hand, making three separate punctures to empty his syringe, which held the single dose. He testifed that the drug was a stimulant and could in no wise have affected Attell as Abe testified. The cocaine, he said, would have only a mild, deadening local effect, and was entirely insufficient to affect Attell's system, in which case his heart and respiratory organs would be first affected. He also testified that he had examined Attell before, knew him personally, and had occupied the same box with him at the clubhouse while the preliminary bouts were going on last Thursday night.

At the conclusion of the hearing Attorney Nathan Vidaver, for the National Sporting Club and Mr. O'Rourke, said that if there was any doubt in the minds of the Commissioners regarding the effects of the drug he would gladly ask for a further hearing, when he would produce eminent physicians to give expert testimony.

The Commissioners announced that they would continue the hearing to-day for the purpose of examining other witnesses. It is possible that a decision may be announced to-night.

PACKEY McFARLAND WINS.

But Bout with Jack Ward Is Little More Than Clinching Affair.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., Jan. 24.—Packey McFarland to-night defeated Jack Ward, said to be England's best lightweight, in a six-round bout. The fight had a bad odor. Outside of the last two minutes of the sixth round, not a blow was started that would have hurt a squab. The boys ran into clinches without any apparent reason.

With the beginning of the fourth round, the 4,000 spectators at the National A. C. began to hiss, and continued until McFarland, apparently angered, drove Ward all over the ring. The boys weighed in at 138 pounds at 6 o'clock, and neither moved the beam.

BARRY WHIPS BILL LANG.

Chicago Heavyweight Gets Decision Over Australian on Points.

SYRNEY, Australia, Jan. 24.—James Barry, the heavyweight pugilist of Chicago, defeated "Bill" Lang of Victoria, the former heavyweight champion of Australia, at the Stadium here to-day. The contest lasted the twenty rounds limit, Barry eventually winning on points.

Two Boxing Champions Sail.

A cablegram announces the departure from London yesterday of Will E. Ames with his two boxing champions, Sid Smith, a 112-pounder, and Billy Marchant, weighing 126 pounds. Smith comes over to challenge Johnny Coulon. Marchant is after Abe Attell.

CATCHERS HARD TO FIND.

Manager Wolverton Unable to Land Good Man for Yankees.

Manager Harry Wolverton of the Yankees is still hunting for a catcher. He paid his weekly visit to the club offices yesterday with the discouraging news that all his schemes to procure a good backstop to help Ed Sweeney had thus far come to naught. Wolverton says he has his eye on a good catcher who will be a great help to the Yankee team, but he refused to divulge the name because it might block the deal.

A recruit catcher was signed yesterday, who will be taken South on the training trip for a try-out. He is Edwin Bergin, who has been playing semi-professional ball around New York. He was the catcher on the Yonkers team that Chester Hoff pitched for, and they made one of the best "semi-pro" batteries in these parts.

Another addition to the Yankee outfit announced by Mr. Wolverton is Daniel Francis Mulcahy, who will act this season as the club's trainer. Mulcahy comes from Glens Falls, N. Y., and has a fine reputation as a handler of sore arms, twisted ankles, bunged-up knees and spiked shins. Mulcahy's experience has mostly been with college athletes. After June the club will have two physical directors, for when the Williams College season closes "Bonesetter" Barrett will also join the Yankees. The Yankees had more than their share of injuries last season, and more attention will be paid to their physical welfare by Manager Wolverton this season.

There was much joy among the club's officials yesterday when the signed contract of big George McConnell came in by special delivery. Wolverton, on the strength of the big twirler's record with the Rochester champions of the International League last season, expects him to have a great season. McConnell is at his home in Anderson, S. C., keeping himself in pretty good shape during the winter months. His record last season with Rochester was thirty victories and eight defeats, and he was a strong factor in landing the flag for Ganzel's team. McConnell was with the Yankees a few seasons back, but lacked experience. Now that he has gained the top of his form something is expected of him. He is six feet three inches tall and weighs 190 pounds.

Another contract that arrived yesterday was that of George Simmons, the infielder who was purchased from Rochester a few months ago. Simmons has had experience in the American League under Hughey Jennings, at Detroit. He hit .313 in 110 games and had a fielding average of .922 in Rochester last season.

Louis Litschi, the former Tri-State infielder, whom the Yankees sent to Bridgeport last season and was re-purchased this season, has been released to the Vernon Club of Los Angeles.

President Frank J. Farrell of the Yankees said yesterday that work on grading the site for his new baseball park at 225th Street and Broadway would be resumed next week. Some work was done last fall in filling in a creek which runs through the grounds, but the work was stopped when cold weather set in. Temporary tracks will be built to the edge of the site for the accommodation of the dirt trains. The dirt which is to be used for filling in will be taken from the excavation at the Grand Central terminal, on Forty-second Street.

All rumors that Arthur Devlin, the Giant's veteran third baseman, would not be a Giant next season were set at rest yesterday when he sent in his signed contract to Secretary O'Brien. Manager McGraw has no intention of letting Devlin go, as he still thinks so well of the veteran's baseball ability that he wants him on hand to rush into the game in case any of the regulars are injured. Devlin showed his great versatility as a ballplayer last season at various times, when he played every position in the infield and was capable in every place. He never played first base in his career until one afternoon last summer, when Merkle was striken with "Charley horse" at the Polo Grounds. Devlin took his mitt and covered the bag like an old timer.

Chance Says He'll Play Again.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Frank L. Chance, manager of the Cubs, who was hit on the head by pitched balls so many times last year that he was compelled to quit the game in August, has written from his California farm that he will be on first base again when the season opens.

"I am feeling fine, and surely expect to play ball this year," said Chance. "My head bothered me until a month ago, but for the last month I haven't suffered at all. By the time the season opens I expect to be able to stop a dozen balls with my head."

Outfielder Coulson to Marry.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Penn., Jan. 24.—Up the Monongahela Valley is all agog over a wedding booked to take place there on St. Valentine's Day, in which the principals will be Bobbie Coulson, the right fielder of the Brooklyn National League team, and Helen Baker, formerly a teacher in the Donora schools. Coulson's home is in Donora.

Paskert Signs for Three Years.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—President Fogel of the Philadelphia National League Baseball Club to-day received the contract of Centrefielder Paskert, who has signed for three years.

MUSIC AT LONG ACRE.

New Manager Has Brass Band to Entertain Fight Fans.

The first show of the Long Acre Athletic Association under the management of Matchmaker "Dick" Curly was attended by one of the largest crowds in the history of the old organization and with a programme of three ten-round bouts, a six and two four-round contests. It was close to midnight when it concluded.

The large crowd was entertained by a brass band, which played popular airs during the intermissions. In the main bout "Johnny" Dundee, who aspires to the featherweight championship, easily outpointed "Irish Paddy" in a tame ten-round event. Although Dundee won easily, he did not display unusual style and never had his man in real danger.

Paddy was kept on the defensive throughout and his only real good blows were back hand swings, which he landed on breaking from the clinches. Dundee forced the milling from the start and always mixed matters to his best advantage, but lacking the necessary strength, he failed to make an impression.

The other two ten rounders furnished more action than the star bout. In the semi-final Jimmy Murray and Young Carlton, slam bang fighters furnished a fast mill, with Murray gaining the honors.

In the first ten-round session, Young Leroy and Mike Clancy put up a good exhibition, but Clancy by his aggressiveness was entitled to the decision.

Grogan Club Loses License.

The license of the Grogan Athletic Club of Watervliet, N. Y., was revoked yesterday by the State Athletic Commission, following a hearing on charges that the club had put on two twelve-year-old boys as contestants in a boxing contest two weeks ago. In answer to subpoenas issued several days ago two officers of the club appeared here yesterday for a hearing. The club had given the commission other trouble by failing to live up to the regulations regarding making returns.

Two American Boxers Win in Paris.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—American fighters scored heavily in a series of fights here to-night. Frank Loughrey of Manayunk, Penn., knocked out the Englishman Dick Roberts in the second round. Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight, knocked out the Englishman, Stoker Smith, in the first round. The American Swamont fought a draw with the Englishman Wingreve.

Attell's Right Thumb Badly Jammed.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Jan. 24.—Abe Attell, champion featherweight, who will fight Johnny Kilbane in California on Feb. 22, came here to-day from Chicago to see a doctor for treatment of an injury to his right thumb. The doctor found the thumb badly jammed, but said the injury was not serious. Attell left for the West to-night.

RIVERHEAD WANTS VANDERBILT RACE

Residents of Eastern Long Island Favor Holding the Auto Classic Next Fall.

Long Island may have another automobile road race this year, and if the present plans of the residents of Riverhead and vicinity materialise the Vanderbilt Cup race will be decided over the roads in and around Riverhead. Ever since the first road race was held at Riverhead there has been a growing desire to stage a really big event, and several spasmodic efforts have been directed toward this end. The project has again been revived, and a real effort is being made to secure the great auto classic.

It is felt that owing to the fact that Riverhead is far enough away from New York to keep away uncontrollable crowds the Contest Board of the American Automobile Association will not insist upon policing the course with the State militia, as the danger of accidents to spectators would be considerably minimized. There is also a growing sentiment among the residents of Eastern Long Island in favor of the American automobile classic being returned to the land of its conception. Riverhead will act as host to the contest promoters and officials in the event of the A. A. A. staging the race, and will meet the town board half away in the matter.

Two important conditions are imposed by the Riverhead officials. A bond must be filed indemnifying the town against either roadway damage or injury to spectators, and a course different from the one used in the auto race of two years ago must be selected. If these conditions are met the town will work in harmony with the board, as there is already some real enthusiasm over the staging of the race on the outskirts of the town.

The Town Board is composed of Dwight Corbin, Supervisor; J. Fred Dugan, clerk, and George W. Hildreth, William H. Taft, Ellsworth Warner, and William Miller, who have full power to grant the permit for the race. This body is understood to be unanimously in favor of the race and would be glad to see it run at Riverhead.

In discussing the prospects yesterday Supervisor Corwin said:

"I am heartily in favor of holding the Vanderbilt Cup race in the vicinity of Riverhead, and believe the people of the town want it. There are only two things that I should require of the promoters of such a race. First, the date of the race must not conflict with the county fair, which is held in Riverhead generally the third week in September. Large numbers of people from all over Suffolk County during fair week use the roads of this vicinity going to and from the fair. For them the fair is an event looked forward to year by year, and it would be unjust to close roads to these people at this time. The fair continues only four days, if good weather prevails, and it seems as if there should be no trouble on that point.

"It would, however, be necessary for the board to have a bond of some kind so conditioned as to indemnify the town for any damage which might be done to the roads and for any damages which might be legally enforced against it in case of damage suits resulting from accidents. We have been advised by counsel that there would be no liability on the part of the town in event of such suits, but we would rather be on the safe side, and in any event a bond so conditioned would do no harm.

"If these two conditions are met the Town Board of Riverhead, I am sure, will do all within its power to aid the undertaking and have the roads in first-class condition for such an event."

ZBYSZKO WANTS MATCH.

Comes Here to Arrange Bout with Raicevich—Defi for Johnson.

J. H. Herman of Buffalo, manager of Stanislaus Zbyszko, arrived in New York yesterday with the big Polish grappler for a conference with Harry Pollok, manager of Giovanni Raicevich, regarding the recent offer of $10,000 for a match at Madison Square Garden. The conference will be held to-day and Mr. Herman said last night that he would be ready to post a forfeit of $2,500 for the match. The only condition which Mr. Herman will insist upon is that the contest be to a finish, two falls to win. If the bout is arranged it will probably be held on Feb. 12, as an option on Madison Square Garden has been secured for that date.

Mr. Herman received a letter yesterday from H. W. Heagran, manager of the Saltair Palace of Salt Lake City, that he will be in New York on Feb. 10 ready to post a forfeit for a match between the winner and Frank Gotch for a purse of $30,000.

The story that Jack Johnson intends to take up wrestling is not regarded seriously by Mr. Herman. He said last night that Zbyszko will wrestle Johnson in private for a $5,000 side bet, or will guarantee to throw Johnson twice within an hour and give the proceeds to charity.

HIGH SCORES IN SHOOTING.

G. S. McCarty, Philadelphia, Makes 198 Out of a Possible 200 at Pinehurst.

Special to The New York Times.

PINEHURST, N. C., Jan. 24.—A remarkable score of 198, and including a straight run of 181 in the 200 targets shot at, was the sensational performance of G. S. McCarty of Philadelphia in the opening events of to-day's fifth annual trap shooting handicap.

Charles H. Newcomb of Philadelphia, at 192, tied with F. S. Wright of South Wales, N. Y.; F. A. Hodgman of Tuckahoe, N. Y., with W. T. Laslie of Tuskegee, winner of the 1911 Southern handicap. Next came Harry W. Kahler of the Quaker City, and winner of the New York Athletic Club amateur championship in 1911, tied with H. E. Buckwalter of Philadelphia, at 191.

Lester German of Aberdeen, Md., challenger for the world's championship held by G. L. Lyon of Durham, N. C., headed the professionals with 195, and a straight run of 105. J. T. Skelly of Wilmington, who scored 194, was second. R. W. Clancy of Chicago, E. H. Storer of Baltimore, and L. J. Squier of Pittsburgh tied for third, at 191. Walter Huff of Macon made 190, and J. M. Hawkins of Baltimore 189.

Stuyvesant Chess Champion.

Several unfinished games having been decided, the final standing of the school teams in the Manhattan and Bronx divisions of the Interscholastic Chess League was officially announced yesterday. Stuyvesant High emerged winner of the championship with the total score of 24 out of a possible total of 32 points. Townsend Harris Hall was placed a very close second with 23 points, followed by De Witt Clinton, High School of Commerce, and Morris High in the order named. The final records are the following:

Schools	Won.	Lost.	Schools	Won.	Lost.
Stuyvesant	24	8	Commerce	16	17
Townsend	23	9	Morris	6	26
Clinton	15½	16½			

Stuyvesant will play the Brooklyn Boys' High School team, winners of the Brooklyn League, in the match to decide the interborough championship at the Rice Chess Club to-morrow.

Stagg Will Not Fight Summer Ball.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Coach A. A. Stagg of the University of Chicago, to whom has been given a free hand to combat the Summer baseball question in the "Big Fight" conference which will open here next Friday, will be unable to attend the meeting. He has not regained his health sufficiently, it was said, to permit his return from North Carolina in time for the conference. He was counted upon to lead the fight on the Summer sport.

Lush to Manage Montreal Nine.

MONTREAL, Jan. 24.—The Montreal Baseball Club to-day received the resignation of Manager McCafferty, who handled the team last season, and it was announced that "Billy" Lush, the former Yale baseball coach, had been appointed to manage the team in 1912. McCafferty is now in Washington. A report that he will go to Syracuse is not credited here. It is believed he will stay in Montreal, where he has a profitable business.

TWO ICE YACHT RECORDS.

Ingenue and Clarel Set New Marks in Shallow Point Racing.

Special to The New York Times.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Jan. 24.—Ice yacht records were established over the Shallow Point course to-day by boats of the South Shrewsbury and Long Branch Clubs. Ex-Commodore J. C. Gibbons's Ingenue covered the ten-mile course in 16:52. The Hazel L. collided with the Say When.

The other record established for fifteen miles was made by Walter Content's Clarel in the lateen class for the Long Branch Ice Yacht trophy in a race with the Eagle. The Clarel, sailed by Capt. William Riddle, covered the course in 26:04. The best previous record by the club was held by the Jack Frost, 28:30.

Ex-Commodore Gibbons's Red Rover, sailing under the colors of the Long Branch Ice Boat Club, won the Ayres and O'Brien cups, covering fifteen miles in 27:12, with Rainbow II. second. Rainbow II., Capt. O. F. Roberts's speedy yacht, which won two races yesterday, captured the Drub cup from ex-Commodore Gibbons's Ingenue by 34 seconds. The summary:

Drub Cup, Long Branch Club, 15 Miles.—Won by Rainbow II., 28:33; Ingenue, 29:10; Blanche, 30:24. Jack Frost and Imp withdrew.

Lateen Class, Long Branch Club, 15 Miles.—Won by Clarel, 26:04; Eagle, 26:49.

Ayres and O'Brien Cups, Long Branch Club, 15 Miles.—Won by Red Rover, 27:12; Rainbow II., 30:03. Clarel and Eagle did not finish.

South Shrewsbury Club, Club Cup, 10 Miles.—Won by Ingenue, 16:52. Hazel L. broke away and did not finish.

JENNIE WINS TWO RACES.

Capt. Little's Ice Craft Best in North Shrewsbury Events.

Special to The New York Times.

RED BANK, Jan. 24.—Two of the prettiest and closest ice yacht races held on the ice opposite Fair Haven on the North Shrewsbury River this year were sailed to-day. One of the races was held in the morning and the other in the afternoon. They were witnessed by a large crowd. Capt. Edward Little in his yacht Jennie captured both races in the fast time of 23:15 and 22:20, respectively. Both races were sailed over an eight-mile triangular course. A puffy northwest wind was blowing, which made it necessary for the yachts to make one tack across the entire course.

In the morning race the Jennie got off first and held the lead until the finish. The boats finished in the following time: Jennie, 23:15; Russel B., 25:40; Persers, 26:47, and Bessie B., 28:00.

The second race, which started at 3 o'clock, was captured by the Jennie. The Roy started in the second race, but after making the first lap she reefed her sails and withdrew from the race. The yachts finished as follows: Jennie, 22:20; Persers, 27:00, and Russel B., 27:40.

Only one race was held at Red Bank this afternoon. The race was between the Daisy, owned by Edward Asay, and the Kittie, owned by Capt. James Weaver. The Daisy finished in 18:44 and the Kittie finished in 23:01.

NEW YORK A. C. COMMITTEES.

Col. Robert M. Thompson Names Men Who Will Look After Winged Foot Interests.

Col. Robert M. Thompson, President of the New York Athletic Club, completed yesterday his task of alloting the many standing committees of the world's premier sports organization. Chief of these are the House, Admissions, and Athletic Committees, the respective Chairmen of which are Ernest F. Haubold, George T. Montgomery, and Robert H. Goffe. The make-up of the Yachting Committee has not yet been determined, and in a comparison with the sub-committees of previous years it is noticed that the game of squash will have to worry along with no committee appointed to look after the interests of this sport.

The officers of the club and the make-up of the various committees appointed are as follows:

Officers: President—Robert M. Thompson; Vice President—Ernest F. Haubold; Secretary—Fred R. Fortmeyer; Treasurer—Martin S. Paine; Captain—Matthew P. Halpin.

Governors, (two years.)—John F. Connors, George J. M. Corbett, Jeremiah T. Mahoney, William L. Miller, Fred E. Williamson, William L. Mitchell, George T. Montgomery, Powhatan R. Robinson.

Governors, (one year.)—Louis Bender, Robert H. Goffe, Edward Martin, John F. O'Rourke, George F. Pelham, Henry Clay Piercy, George H. Schumann, C. Otto Toussaint.

House Committee.—Ernest F. Haubold, Chairman; Louis Bender, George J. M. Corbett, Robert H. Goffe, William L. Mitchell, George T. Montgomery, Powhatan R. Robinson, C. Otto Soussaint, Fred E. Williamson.

Admissions Committee.—George T. Montgomery, Chairman; William L. Miller, George F. Pelham.

Athletic Committee.—Robert B. Goffe, Chairman; Matthew P. Halpin, John F. Connors, Louis Bender, Jeremiah T. Mahoney, Edward Martin, Powhatan R. Robinson.

Baths Committee.—George J. M. Corbett, Chairman; John F. Connors, Fred E. Williamson.

Billiards and Bowling Committee.—Frederick E. Williamson, Chairman; Edward Martin, George H. Schumann.

Engineer's Department Committee.—Powhatan R. Robinson, Chairman; George T. Montgomery, George F. Pelham.

Restaurant Committee.—C. Otto Toussaint, Chairman; William L. Mitchell, Frederick E. Williamson.

Office and Auditing Committee.—Louis Bender, Chairman; Robert H. Goffe, George H. Schumann.

Travers Island Committee.—William L. Mitchell, Chairman; William L. Miller, Henry Clay Piercy, C. Otto Toussaint.

Special Committees: Bicycle—A. Parker Smith, Chairman; William E. McCredy, James M. McGinley. Domino—William F. Rudolphy, Chairman; Louis R. Sharp, William J. Davison. Law—John C. Gulick, Chairman; William A. Hines, James A. Lynch. Chess—James R. Branch, Chairman; John H. Booth, Augustus T. Docharty. Club Journal—William L. Miller, Chairman; Walter R. Wheeler, Roland Mallory. Library—John C. Gulick, Chairman; James A. Lynch, Alexander J. Roux. Entertainment—Thomas E. Deeley, Chairman; Edward F. Albee, Nicholas Engel, Robert C. Kammerer, William L. Mitchell.

Sub-Athletic Committees.—Fencing—Graeme M. Hammond, Chairman; James B. Clemens, Martin J. Echeverria, J. Ernest Gignoux, Eugene Pitou, Jr. Lawn Tennis—Rufus Davis, Chairman; Louis H. Freedman, Joseph M. Harley, Lewin B. Le Duc, Alberto Leon, Jr., Frank B. Roundey. Skating—Mortimer Bishop, Chairman; Arthur G. Keane, Frank M. Knight, George D. Phillips, Fred W. Brooks, Jr. Hockey—Benjamin N. Rhodes, Chairman; James A. Fenwick, George D. Phillips, Otto Wagner, Robert A. Scott. Trap Shooting—George J. M. Corbett, Chairman; Charles W. Billings, Daniel F. McMahon, William B. Ogden, Jr., A. Elliott Ranney. Swimming—Arthur McAleenan, Chairman; Joseph A. Ruddy, Otto Wahle.

First Lieutenant, Hugh H. Baxter; Second Lieutenant, John M. Breen; handicapper, Paul H. Pilgrim.

YALE SCORES SHUT OUT.

Massachusetts Aggies Defeated in Fast Hockey Match at New Haven.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 24.—Yale defeated the Massachusetts Agricultural College at hockey by a score of 3 to 0 to-day. She held Yale from scoring in the first half, but the superior Eli team play told in the second period and only the wonderful goal tending of Ackerman prevented many more goals being made. Arthur Howe, Yale's football captain, played splendid defensive hockey, and Chauncey's runs were brilliant in the attack. Capt. Peckham starred in the Amherst runs.

Yale lacked the services of her brilliant goal tender, Carhart, who has been taken to the infirmary with water on the knee, and Blakeslee, the first forward, who has left college. The line-up:

Yale.	Position.	Amherst.
Thayer	Goal	Ackerman
Howe	Point	McDonald
Gore	Cover	Walker
Chauncey	Right wing	Sanctuary
Martin	Left wing	Peckham (Capt.)
Cox	Rover	Jones
Harman (Capt.)	Center	Hutchinson

Goals—Cox, (2), Chauncey. Referee—Mr. Norfolk, Boston. Umpire—Mr. Marcus, New York. Halves—20 minutes each.

Umpire Rorty Re-engaged.

BOSTON, Jan., 24.—Secretary Jacob C. Morse of the New England League of baseball clubs announced to-night that Hugh J. Rorty of Hartford had been re-engaged as umpire for the season for 1912.

MAYER IN POOR BILLIARD FORM

Philadelphian, Expected to Win, Is Beaten Badly in Knickerbocker Tourney.

Maurice D. Brown of the Hamilton Club of Brooklyn, playing scratch in the Knickerbocker 18.2 balk line billiard tournament at Keeney's Billiard Academy, Brooklyn, won a decisive victory over Joseph Mayer of Philadelphia, the other scratch billiardist, last night by a score of 300 to 158. Mayer's showing was a disappointment because it was believed by the spectators who have been following the tournament that a close match would result when the two scratch players opposed each other.

Brown played an excellent game, and once he had the ivories rolling, he played consistently and chose his shots with good judgment. His high run of 48 in the thirteenth inning showed Brown at his best, and he was going along smoothly when he slipped up on a bank shot which ordinarily would have been an easy carrom. Brown's average was 8 28-34, the best scoring he has shown in the tournament thus far.

Mayer was off his game. The only time he showed a flash of his best form was in the sixth inning, when he clicked off 23 with precision and ease. But his misses were many, and he was unfortunate in collecting the balls. His showing last night was no better than some of the cueists who are playing with liberal handicaps.

Brown's first trip to the table gave him a single point and Mayer missed. In the fifth inning Brown got started well, and made a nice run of 28. From that time on he piled up the points in groups. In the thirteenth inning he jumped his total to 138, with a run of 48, and he passed the 200-mark in the nineteenth inning. He had only three blank innings in the game, two of those coming at the end of the match, when he was about to run out his string of 300.

Mayer's average was only 4 22-34, and his high runs were 23, 22, and 15. The Philadelphian missed shots nine times, which showed that he was out of form. The score by innings:

M. D. Brown.—1 0 6 5 28 2 4 4 2 2 17 19 48 3 4 10 24 22 1 17 4 1 7 6 7 1 7 29 6 3 0 8 0 2—300.

Joseph Mayer.—0 0 2 5 4 23 1 5 1 2 0 8 4 5 0 0 6 5 2 7 4 14 0 2 1 15 10 0 5 3 0 22 0 2—158.

Averages—Brown, 8 28-35; Mayer, 4 22-34.

High runs—Brown, 48, 29, 28; Mayer, 23, 22, 15.

SPEAR VICTOR AT 18.2.

Joseph Stern Greatly Outpointed in National Amateur Billiards.

George Spear won from Joseph Stern in the Class C National championship 18.2 balk line tournament at the Morningside Billiard Academy last night by a score of 200 to 123. Spear's average was 3 44-52, while that of his opponent was 2 19-52. Spear was master of the match from the first inning, and he increased his advantage steadily as the playing progressed.

Spear showed his best game in the twenty-sixth inning, when he clicked off his high run of 21. At one stage of this run he had the balls placed badly near the rail and in scoring his point he made one of the most difficult massé shots that have been seen in the tournament. This run sent his total to 111, while his opponent's total in the corresponding inning was only 48.

In the next inning, however, Stern got the balls under his control and did not miss until he had tied Spear's high run of 21. Stern made many difficult bank shots and several times he made three-cushion attempts in order to get his point. He failed to collect the balls as skilfully as Spear and he lacked steadiness.

To-night's match will complete the preliminary games of the tournament. The score by innings of last night's match was as follows:

George Spear—4 1 1 5 7 1 0 3 6 4 2 0 2 0 12 7 0 5 0 5 7 6 12 0 0 0 21 5 8 0 4 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 3 1 0 13 4 5 0 4 3 5 11 9 0 5 5—200. High runs—21, 13, 12; average—3 44-52.

Joseph Stern—1 0 2 0 0 3 1 1 1 0 2 0 10 14 0 0 1 1 4 0 1 0 2 3 0 1 21 0 5 0 9 0 6 2 0 0 1 1 1 6 5 1 2 0 1 1 0 6 2 4 0—123. High runs—21, 14, 10; average—2 19-52.

To Play Off Triple Tie.

The triple tie in the round robin tournament which was held at Paul's Riverside Billiard Academy will be played off on Monday and Tuesday evenings of next week. The standing of the players is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Marshall	5	2	Cohen	3	4
Norton	5	2	Warburg	3	4
Danbury	5	2	Simpson	2	5
Pierson	3	4	Gelbwaks	2	5

Twelve players have entered the pool tournament for the gold fob, and the preliminary games will begin on Jan. 25 and the final game will be played on Monday, Jan. 29. Paul's Academy is included in the schedule of the tournament for the pool championship of the United States, which will be held in March.

Hoppe Wins Easily with Cue.

In his third practice game in preparation for his coming match with George Sutton for the 18.1 balk-line billiard championship, Willie Hoppe, the holder at 18.1 and 18.2, defeated George G. Cutler of Boston last night at McGraw's Billiard Academy, Thirty-fifth Street and Sixth Avenue, by the score of 400 to 176 in 13 innings. Hoppe's high run was 123 points, his average 30 10-13. Cutler's high run was 41 and his average 13 7-13.

Pittsburgh Billiardist Wins.

PITTSBURGH, Penn., Jan. 24.—Charles McCourt of Pittsburg to-night defeated Charles Warren of Boston, 50 to 32, in the third game of the National Three-Cushion Billiard League tournament. The game was played in 95 innings. Warren had a high run of 4 and McCourt made 3.

Cutler Hockeyists Win, 3 to 0.

Cutler School hockey players defeated the seven from Syms School yesterday at the St. Nicholas Rink by a score of 3 to 0. The losing team made a good fight for the first half of the opening period and held the Cutler boys to a single goal, scored by L. Cohu on a pick-out from one of the many scrimmages which occurred in front of the Syms cage, which was very well defended by S. Lancing. Both L. Cohu and Wainright tallied for Cutler in the second period. The line-up and summary:

Cutler School.	Position.	Syms School.
W. Cohu	Goal	S. Lancing
Post	Piont	Johnson
Moore	Cover point	Clendow
Ferris	Rover	Kaynon
L. Cohu	Centre	Lummis, Riker
Wainwright	Left wing	F. Lancing
Renderbrock	Right wing	Underhill

Goals: First half—L. Cohu, 7:12. Second half—L. Cohu, 4:32; Wainwright, 9:56. Referee—J. Hallock. Umpire—C. Brain. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

Woman's "Met." Golf Nominations.

The Nominating Committee of the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association has named its ticket to be voted on at the next annual meeting of the association. Mrs. M. D. Patterson has been selected again for President, while Mrs. H. F. Whitney of Nassau is the nominee for the Vice Presidency. Mrs. H. R. Stockton of Plainfield is named for Treasurer and Mrs. F. H. Donohoe of Montclair is selected as the fifth member of the Executive Committee. No one has been named for Secretary. Mrs. E. F. Sanger, who has served so long and faithfully in various official capacities, has refused to act again, and thus far her successor has not been named. There are now thirty-one clubs in the association.

New Class for Palace Bench Show.

Owing to the number of inquiries for the classes for Sealyham terriers, Supt. James Mortimer of the Westminster Kennel Club yesterday announced the addition of special open classes for dogs and bitches of this breed at the annual bench show of the club at the New Grand Central Palace, Feb. 20 to 23. This breed of dogs is beginning to be popular in England, and several high-bred animals have been imported into this country lately. The entries for the show close Monday, Jan. 29, with James Mortimer, Room 801, Townsend Building, 1,123 Broadway.

Fifth Bulldog Breeders' Show.

The Bulldog Breeders' Association of America will hold its fifth members' show at Lyric Hall, 725 Sixth Avenue, near Forty-second Street, Saturday, March 9, at 2 P. M. There will be two judges, R. R. Littlefield of Gardiner, Me., will decide the dog classes and W. A. Betts of Woodside, L. I., will judge the bitches, both officiating jointly when specials are competed for by both sexes, any difference of opinion being subject to the decision of a referee of their own choosing. Premium lists will be sent out within a fortnight, the entries closing the last day of the Palace Show.

The Bench Show Committee consists of Messrs. Wood, Horrax, Grisdale, and Gillette. The Chairman is A. D. Gillette, Fort Salonga, L. I., to whom all communications should be sent.

P.S.A.L. BASKET BALL HONORS

P. S. 64 Juniors and P. S. 62 Seniors Defeat P. S. 44, Bronx.

New York school boys, students of Public School 64 and Public School 62, won sectional basket ball championship honors yesterday in the race for the borough title, when the juniors of the first school and the seniors of the other defeated teams representing Public School 44 of the Bronx, in decisive fashion, in the Eighth Regiment Armory, the final scores being: Public School 64, 32; Public School 44, 3; Public School 62, 47; Public School 44, 14.

In the junior contest the tally at the end of the first half of periods of fifteen minutes each was 16 to 0, while in the senior event No. 62 led by 15 to 10 at that stage. The latter struggle was the hardest to which the ultimate victors have been subjected during the past three years, No. 44 putting up a gilt-edged article of basket ball during the initial fifteen minutes.

Individually, the No. 44 lads were the best the downtown boys have played, but they showed a lack of finish in their passing work and team plays, this probably being caused by not having a coach. As in previous contests the No. 62 forwards were in the heat of every mix-up, Goldberg contributing nine goals as his share of the point getting.

Michaelson, who deposed Weinberg at centre on the winning team, scored seven baskets during his time in the match. Behan, the right forward for No. 44, was a tower of strength for his team in the opening half, and aside from playing a fine defensive game, scored more than half the points gained by his side. Sondack was the star goal getter for the winning team in the junior match. The line-ups:

P. S. 64, Man.	Position.	P. S. 44, Bronx.
Sondack	Left forward	Reade, Augustine
Rudich	Right forward	Brandis
Sherman	Centre	Cerebrinsky
Broder	Left guard	Renner
Mantell	Right guard	Hussong

Goals from field—Sondack, 8; Rudich, Sherman, 2; Broder, 3; Rentner. Goals from fouls—Sondack, 4; Hussong. Referee—F. E. Aldinger, Commerce. Umpire—J. Greenberg, P. S. A. L. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

P. S. 62, Man.	Position.	P. S. 44, Bronx.
Kantrowitz	Left forward	Greenberg
Goldberg	Right forward	Behan
Weinberg, Michaelson	Centre	Tilkin
Sabinsky, Holman	Left guard	Keating
Bayer, Weinberg	Right guard	Keyes

Goals from field—Goldberg, 9; Michaelson, 7; Weinberg, Holman, 4; Sabinsky, Behan, 4; Tilkin, Keyes, 2. Goals from fouls—Goldberg, 3. Referee—J. Silverman, P. S. A. L. Umpire—F. Clarke, P. S. A. L. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

Fordham Defeats Seton Hall.

Fordham defeated Seton Hall in a loosely played basket ball game at Savage's Gymnasium last night by the score of 30 to 19. The Seton Hall boys showed poor form in shooting and caged only three field goals, the greater part of their score being the result of Flaherty's unerring aim from the foul line. Flaherty was easily the star performer for his team, scoring fifteen of the nineteen points. Fordham showed marked superiority over the visitors in passing. Flanagan was the star for Fordham, shooting four field goals before he retired in favor of Barrett in the second half. The latter also showed strongly. Fordham finished the game with substitutes in four of the five positions. The line-up:

Fordham.	Position.	Seton Hall.
Flanagan, Barrett	Left forward	Jones
Walsh, Kennedy	Right forward	Carrigan
Brady, Hanley	Centre	Flaherty
S. McCarthy	Left guard	McGerade
Hinchliff	Right guard	Nugent

Field goals—Walsh, 3; Flanagan, 4; Brady, 3; Barrett, 3; Hinchliff, Jones, 3; Flaherty. Foul goals—Walsh, 3; Barrett, Flaherty, 13. Referee—Mr. O'Connor, Holy Cross. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

St. John's Downs Manhattan.

The St. John's College of Brooklyn basket ball team won the championship of the Catholic colleges last night when they defeated the Manhattan College quintet in a close and exciting game on the St. John's College court in Brooklyn by the score of 28 to 18. The St. John's boys have gone through the basket ball season with 13 victories and 4 defeats. They have defeated all the Catholic colleges that have opposed them, among them being Cathedral College, Mount St. Mary's College, Fordham University, Catholic University, Georgetown, and Niagara. The line-up:

St. John's.	Position.	Manhattan.
Keenan	Right forward	Ryan
Tracey	Left forward	Suarez
Molloy	Centre	Leonard, Bolton
Crenny	Right guard	Loesch
Burchill	Left guard	Flynn, Young

Goals from field—Keenan, 2; Tracey, 5; Molloy, 1; Crenny, 3; Burchill, 2; Loesch, 5; Flynn, 1; Young, 1. Goals from foul line—Tracey, 2; Loesch, 4. Substitutions—For Manhattan: Bolton for Leonard in the second half, and Young for Flynn in the second half. Time of halves—Twenty minutes. Referee—Thomas Thorpe, Columbia University.

St. Paul's Takes Game Easily.

The basket ball team of St. Paul's School of Garden City yesterday defeated the Adelphi quintet on the latter's court in a one-sided game by the score of 34 to 5. The line-up:

St. Paul's.	Position.	Adelphi.
Baer	Left forward	Dray
Collins, Hubbell	Right forward	Dietrich
Zadnis	Centre	Moffatt
Goldthwaite	Left guard	Clayton
Chalmers	Right guard	Middleton

Goals from field—Chalmers, 11; Zadnis, 6; Collins, 3; Goldthwaite, 2; Baer, 2; Hubbell, 2; Dray, 3. Goals from foul—Dray, 3; Baer, 2. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

Cutler Defeats Berkeley, 14 to 8.

The Cutler School basket ball team defeated the Berkeley School five in a close game yesterday on the court of the Irish-American Athletic Club, in Fifty-ninth Street, by the score of 14 to 8. The line-up:

Cutler School.	Position.	Berkeley School.
Brenner	Right forward	Miller
Lawson	Left forward	McAleelan
Twyfood	Centre	McCarthy
McMullen	Left guard	Wagoner
Keck	Right guard	Maher

Goals from field—Brenner, 3; Lawson, 2; McMullen, Miller, McCarthy. Goals from foul line—Brenner, 2; McAleelan, 4. Referee—Mr. Cavanaugh, Irish-American Athletic Club. Umpire—Mr. Miller, Berkeley School. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

CLASS B TENNIS DECIDED.

J. J. Koen and A. C. Postley Win Seventh Regiment Doubles Title.

J. J. Koen and A. C. Postley won the final of the Class B handicap lawn tennis doubles yesterday, thereby completing that portion of the Seventh Regiment tournament. The winning pair, whose mark was minus 15, were extended to the limit of four sets before defeating George G. Moore, Jr., and G. S. Hauck, at minus half 30, by the score of 6—4, 6—4, 3—6, 6—4.

Because of the length of this match it was impossible for William Cunningham, who acted as referee and umpire, to put on the finals of the singles, in which Moore was scheduled to play Percy M. Hall. As a consequence the singles were postponed until next Wednesday for completion.

Irish-American Games To-night.

Madison Square Garden will be the scene of a great gathering of amateur athletic talent this evening, when the Irish-American Athletic Club will hold its annual Winter games. With an entry list numbering over 450, including every top-notcher in the East, the "Irish" meeting should prove a record breaker. Every event on the long card that the Athletic Committee, assisted by Lawson Robertson, has prepared, has a bunch of champions in the list. The 5,000-meter handicap will show George Bonhag, the best distance runner in America, on scratch, opposed to Tom Collins, Jimmy Sullivan, Jack Monument, J. McNamara, and others. More class will be seen in the one-mile relay for clubs and colleges. The Irish-American team (Sheppard, Kiviat, Gissing, and Rosenberger) will give handicaps to all the local clubs.

The weight events will also have their quota of champions. McDonald and McGrath will have it out in the "56" for height, while in the shot put McDonald will compete against Coe of Boston and Whitney, the Dartmouth youngster, and a dozen more. In the high jump Sam Lawrence, the ex-Harvard star, will jump against his fellow-townsman of the Boston Athletic Association and ten of the local leapers. Another Bostonian will be closely watched in the mile run, Oscar Hedlund, who has taken Abel Kiviat's dust seven times without being more than two yards back at the finish.

An international flavor will be added to the seventy-five-yard dash in the entry of Alex Trittler of Frankfort, Germany, who has just dropped in for a fling at the Yankee sprinters. Trittler will have to measure strides with Alvah Meyer, Jim Rosenberger, Charley Clarke, Jack Eller, Hal Helland, Gram of Boston, and a dozen others.

The eight-mile team race for teams of two men will top off the programme. Teams have been entered from all the local clubs. The runners will be allowed to relieve each other as they please at the finish of any lap.

CITY A. C. DEFEATS M'GILL SWIMMERS

Local Team Rolls Up 35 Points to 18 in Dual Series in Home Tank.

City Athletic Club swimmers defeated the team of McGill University last night in the tank of the first named by a score of 35 points to 18, the only events falling to the lot of the visitors from over the border being the plunge for distance and the 220-yard race, the home aggregation getting first place in the 50 yards, 100 yards, fancy diving, and relay.

The finest race of the series was the one over the furlong distance, which showed a sterling performance by George Hodgson of McGill, who, aside from winning by fifteen feet from R. M. Ritter, the quarter-mile record holder in open water, swam the distance in the highly creditable time of 2:28 1-5, which has been beaten only twice in the United States by Charles M. Daniels, who holds the best figures, 2:25 2-5, with eight turns.

In last night's events the length of the tank—60 feet—necessitated the taking of ten turns, which fact undoubtedly accounts for the fast performance. Hodgson's work, however, was gilt-edged in every particular, and he showed himself in possession of a "crawl" stroke almost as perfect as that of Daniels, which developed the essence of speed.

Ritter went away at a great pace, and led for the first fifty yards, after which Hodgson "crawled" to advantage and showed a slight advantage at the third kick-off—sixty yards. From that point on the Canadian went on in an unconcerned manner, and drew away at every succeeding kick, eventually winning by fifteen feet. Ritter beat his teammate, W. Auerbach, by fifty feet.

R. E. Grizette, the metropolitan champion at 100 yards, went right off in the lead from the pistol, reaching the first turn nearly a yard in advance of Frank McGill, the Canadian, in this event. The latter's efforts at holding Frizelle proved his undoing, and he was unable to stand off the challenge of George Eddy of the home club. The finish showed Frizelle the winner by ten feet in the fast time of 0:58 3-5, with Eddy a like distance in front of McGill.

H. R. Adee was too fast for his Canadian opponents in the fifty-yard dash, which he won by a yard and a half from George Draper of McGill in 0:26 2-5, with John J. Curran of City A. C. third. Karl C. Behrens of the local team was much the best of the fancy divers, and he won this event with a perfect score of 60 points. Frizelle was placed second with a mark of 51½, and Draper third with 38.

The fastest swimming in the relay race was accomplished by Hodgson, but he was so far behind when he took up his share of the struggle that his efforts counted for almost nothing as Draper, the last relay man for the visitors, made a very poor turn, and lost about five yards thereby. The City A. C. team, made up of Frizelle, Adee, Curran, and Ritter, won in comfortable fashion in 1:22 3-5 for the distance of 160 yards. The summary:

50-Yard Swim.—Won by H. R. Adee, City A. C.; George Draper, McGill University, second; J. J. Curran, City A. C., third. Time—0:26 2-5. Won by one and a half yards.

220-Yard Swim.—Won by George Hodgson, McGill University; R. M. Ritter, City A. C., second; W. Auerbach, City A. C., third. Time—2:28 1-5. Won by fifteen feet; fifty feet between second and third.

100-Yard Swim.—Won by R. E. Frizelle, City A. C.; George Eddy, City A. C., second; Frank McGill, McGill University, third. Time—0:58 3-5. Won by ten feet; same between second and third.

Fancy Diving.—Won by K. C. Behrens, City A. C., with 60 points; R. E. Frizelle, City A. C., second, with 51½ points; George Draper, McGill University, third, with 38 points.

Relay Race, 160 Yards.—Won by City A. C. team, made up of R. E. Frizelle, H. R. Adee, J. J. Curran, and R. M. Ritter; McGill University team, made up of Frank McGill, A. R. Mackay, George Hodgson, and George Draper, second. Time—1:22 3-5. Won by five yards.

Plunge for Distance.—Won by E. L. Stavert, McGill University, with 54 feet; W. Auerbach, City A. C., and H. R. Adee, City A. C., tied for second with 45 feet each.

100-Yard Swim, Handicap, Special.—Won by A. Sass, (2 seconds;) G. Helfrick, (5 seconds,) second; C. Harold, (scratch,) third. Time—1:08. Won by 2 feet; same distance between second and third.

Cornell Track Indoor Dates.

Special to The New York Times.

ITHACA, N. Y., Jan. 24.—The indoor scheduleule of the Cornell track team was announced to-day as follows: Feb. 10—Boston Athletic Association games at Boston, one-mile relay race with Pennsylvania; Feb. 17—Columbia championships in New York City; March 1—Sixty-fifth Regiment games in Buffalo, four-mile relay race; March 2—Games of the Georgetown University; March 9—Pittsburgh Athletic Association games, two-mile relay with Princeton; March 30—Dual meet with Michigan at Ann Arbor.

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MR. WICKERSHAM ON THE ANTI-TRUST LAW.

"The real purpose of the Sherman "law is to compel fair trade, to pro-"tect the average business man from "injury due to unfair methods of com-"petition," says Attorney General Wickersham in the article on "The Enforcement of the Anti-Trust Law" which he contributes to the February issue of The Century Magazine. "It is meant," continues Mr. Wickersham, "to keep the highways of "commerce open to all, big and little, "rich and poor, on the same terms." If this understanding of the law had been reached twenty years ago, if the lawyers and the Judges, instead of groping after the meaning of the law and floundering in a maze of woeful misinterpretations and misjudgments, had read it aright, had understood it as it is now understood, the losses, the uncertainties, and the worriments which have fallen upon the business of the country through the attempts to enforce the Sherman act would have been avoided.

But an important qualification of Mr. Wickersham's phrase becomes necessary. The Sherman law is not meant to keep the highways of commerce open on the same terms to all, big and little. It absolutely closes the channels of commerce to an industrial concern that becomes too big. The Attorney General evidently recalling the rather vital fact that the second section of the law prohibits monopoly or the attempt to monopolize, adds:

> The purpose of the Sherman law is to prevent undue combination and centralization of power, and therefore, in issuing their decrees, the courts have merely compelled the combinations against which they have been directed to resolve themselves into their integral parts. The property of the stockholders remains. It is as capable of production and of earning dividends as ever.

We may accept the Attorney General's law while reserving the privilege of doubting his economics. Nobody can say, as yet, whether, when a great corporation has undergone the painful process of dissolution, its separate parts will be as capable of production and of earning dividends as they were in combination. For ourselves we do not believe it. But if trust dividends have been excessive, then, of course, that is one of the evils which the law will cure. Mr. Wickersham points out that the tendency to combination which the law was meant to check has shown itself not alone in the great industries, but that it embraces, also, comparatively small producers and dealers. He instances the Window Glass combination, "the "object of which was to prevent real "competition between its members, in "that case not only to keep prices up "to the level which they had estab-"lished, but to force them much "higher." The trusts, too, saddled the consumer "with the burden of a middleman," an artificial burden which Mr. Wickersham appears to believe will be lifted from the people's shoulders by the operation of the law, though we do not yet see how. One passage of Mr. Wickersham's article will be read with great interest by those business men who have been uncertain whether they were conforming to the law or violating it. From that part of his article we quote at some length:

> There is, however, a third class which, I admit, is probably confronted by genuine uncertainty. I doubt if this class is so great as is thought; but it exists, and its members are actual and honest. They are the owners of, say, two or more concerns engaged in the same or similar lines of business who desire to consolidate or combine their efforts, and the investors whom they invite to contribute to the combined enterprise. In making such a consolidation there is necessarily eliminated such competition as existed between them in the past. If the object of that combination is not the mere destruction of an existing competition, but the carrying on of the business under improved conditions, with economies of production and management, the combination cannot be said to be illegal. Nevertheless, there is an uncertainty in ascertaining the actual purpose. At the outset, this purpose is locked in the breast of the participants in the combinations. They may declare it truthfully, or they may not; and, aside from what they say, it may be difficult for an outsider to decide truly and accurately whether or not the combination has for its object the restraint of trade or an expansion of trade.

It is to be noted that the Attorney General says that if a consolidation of this character is honest in its intent, and aims only at economies of production and management, it "cannot be said to be illegal." There remains that inescapable and most troublesome question of bigness. Suppose two competing concerns, the very largest in the country, controlling between them much more than half of a particular trade, should see their way clear, by combination, to a large saving of money, to an increase of production, and to a reducing of prices to the consumer. Plainly, the result aimed at here would be not the restraint but the expansion of trade. Would this be one of those combinations which Mr. Wickersham says "cannot be said to be illegal"? Manifestly not. The monopoly clause of the law would be invoked to restrain or punish the organizers of the combination. The attempt to monopolize would be plain, and, though the "conspirators" might not intend to raise prices, they would have the power to raise them, and, under the principle of the Northern Securities case, the law would prevent the combination. Again we see that bigness, after all, is a question to be considered. Mr. Wickersham's remedy for all remaining uncertainties is not the amendment of the law, but Federal incorporation for all concerns engaging in inter-State commerce. Then the Federal Government would have full power, and Mr. Wickersham would have that power exercised in a way to become, not a menace, but an invitation. He would make the Federal incorporation act

> so attractive to legitimate industry as gradually, and perhaps rapidly, to attract those engaged in inter-State commerce in a large way. All those who wish to combine or consolidate existing businesses which are more or less competitive, thus giving rise to questions as to the applicability of the Sherman law, would realize that Federal incorporation would so greatly facilitate the legitimate conduct of that business that they would not be willing to forego its advantages.

Elucidation is necessary. Certainly under Federal incorporation no license could be issued for such a combination as we have just instanced of two large competing concerns controlling the great bulk of the trade. The monopoly clauses of the act would forbid that. Nothing could be permitted under Federal incorporation that cannot be permitted now under State incorporation and the provisions of the law. We fail to see how the power of the Federal Government over corporations doing an inter-State business would be increased by issuing charters at Washington. Has not the Federal Government now all the powers it needs to control that class of corporations? It can investigate, it can scrutinize, it can regulate, it can control, it can punish, it can destroy. What more is needed? Since there are practically no limitations upon the power to regulate inter-State commerce, how could the scope of that power be broadened by a Federal Incorporation act? Mr. Wickersham would have Federal incorporation optional at first, but "after "a time, five or ten years, possibly, "the conditions might become such "that Congress could properly pre-"scribe that, after a given date, no "inter-State commerce could be car-"ried on by any corporation not or-"ganized under the Federal law." That is to say, a commodity capable only of innocent use, like flour, or clothing, would, unless covered by Federal incorporation, be forbidden to traverse a State line, would be put under the ban, like lottery tickets and immoral books, which can have no innocent use, and the authority to create corporations, a sovereign authority inherited by each sovereign State from the sovereign mother country, would be stripped from all the States and conferred upon the Federal Government, to which the States did not surrender it in the Constitution. If such a Federal act should be declared Constitutional, then the words, "the pow-"ers not delegated to the United States "by the Constitution, nor prohibited "by it to the States, are reserved to "the States, respectively, or to the "people," would no longer describe the substance of powers undelegated, but only a vague and shadowy memory of what once had been. The Tenth Amendment would be an epitaph.

THE RUSSIAN VIEW.

The Czar's Prime Minister, M. Kokovtsoff, has much to learn concerning the American reasons for abrogating the treaty with Russia, if we may judge from his answers to certain questions put to him by Collier's Weekly, and printed to-day in another part of The Times. With the internal laws and regulations of the Russian Empire we have nothing to do. Our complaint of the Russian procedure was that the right of entry and of sojourn which the treaty granted to all Americans regardless of race or religion was ignored by Russia, and continually violated by the enforcement of what M. Kokovtsoff calls "certain rules." These "rules" Russia enforced against Americans of Jewish faith, denying them passport privileges freely accorded to other Americans, thus setting up a distinction on grounds of race and religion which we could not tolerate, since our own laws forbid such a distinction.

M. Kokovtsoff is guilty of a flagrant misstatement of fact when he says that in our immigration laws we have excluded anybody on grounds of "religious character." It is absurd to say that our exclusion of persons living in polygamy has anything to do with religion. The Mormons are free to worship in their temple according to their faith, but plural marriages are not only prohibited by our laws, but they are offensive to the sentiment of our people. The Mormon religion has nothing to do with the matter. Nor is it any defense of Russia's policy to say that her restrictions upon the rights of the Jewish race are a measure of protection for the Russian masses "against alien domination." Nobody would seriously pretend that the Russian masses would be put in danger of alien domination by the viséing of an American passport issued to an American Jew. The measures that Russia may take for the protection of her people within the borders of her empire do not concern us, and were not in question in the passport controversy. The point was that she withheld rights granted by the treaty and withheld them in a manner that set up class distinctions among our citizens.

If Russia should see fit to exclude all Americans of whatever race or faith from her dominions as we exclude certain Asiatics, we should have to admit her right to set up such a prohibition, whatever we might think of the policy it represented. But Russia excluded certain Americans, while admitting others. That we could not submit to, and because of that and because the treaty was really obsolete, we declared our intention to abrogate it.

A NOTABLE OMISSION.

Mr. Bryan's words will be a great comfort to Gov. Wilson. You may not get to the White House, he says, but whatever befall you will be soothed and sustained by the reflection that, however great the pain of parting with Col. Harvey, you did the right thing in declining further support from such a source. You may fall, and the fall may hurt you, but it will be a source of joy in future to feel that you fell nobly, without damage to your very recent radical professions.

All this is nice, but the important thing is that nowhere in this sympathetic half column did Mr. Bryan say that he believes Mr. Wilson should be the candidate, and that he supports his candidacy. Mr. Bryan wrote easily, even gracefully, but the inhibitory nerve of his writing arm was in full operation.

THE FAY HOMICIDE CASE.

The public will note with satisfaction that the chauffeur who, on Friday evening last, ran down and killed 10-year-old Patrick Fay, and then sped off without stopping to offer aid, has been caught and will be prosecuted.

Since the clause of the Callan Motor Vehicle law, requiring that the operators of cars shall stop and give their names and license numbers to the injured person, or a police officer, was declared unconstitutional, the cowardly runaways after such accidents as befell the Fay boy have multiplied. The National Highways Protective Society has reported a steady increase, so that from sixteen to twenty repetitions of the craven act are now reported monthly. It may not be according to the forms of law to make the principal in an accident submit what may be incriminating testimony, but there is no reason why the Legislature should not pass an amendment to the Callan law providing a penalty for the dastardly runaways, like that provided against kidnapping. It is essentially heartless, and cruel, and felonious.

Eyewitnesses say that the car driven by Chauffeur Heyl was proceeding at the rate of at least 30 miles an hour. The fact that the child was thrown up against the lamp of the machine with sufficient force to break it and bend the rim indicates that the speed was not moderate. It has been contended that the Aldermanic ordinance of 1906, fixing the speed limit at 8 miles an hour in the congested districts and 15 miles an hour in the less crowded streets, is still in force. The Callan law, at any rate, permits the operation of such ordinances in cities of the first class, whether "heretofore or hereafter made." If the old ordinance is not valid, the Aldermen should consider establishing a new speed limit, setting the maximum at 15 miles in the Greater City, beyond which it shall be deemed reckless for motor cars to drive.

THE WILEY REPORT.

The report of the "Wiley investigation" submitted to Congress by the Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Agriculture, though calm and measured in its tone, is armed with teeth. President Taft in his letter of Sept. 15 had absolved Dr. Wiley and his associates in the Bureau of Chemistry of the charge of conspiracy made against them by the Committee on Personnel, of which Solicitor George P. McCabe was the instigating member. In that letter the President said that after Attorney General Wickersham had advised him that Chief Wiley, Dr. Rusby, Dr. Bigelow, and Dr. Kebler merited "condign punishment" according to the findings of the Personnel Board, he, himself, examined the records and found that the accused officials had been tried in such a way "as not to enable them to make full defense." Later it was found by the investigating committee that Solicitor McCabe had set precedents for the alleged illegal employment of Dr. Rusby, and that he had suppressed vital evidence showing that Dr. Wiley and his associates were not conspirators, but, "on the contrary," as the report says, "the accused officials were actuated throughout solely by a desire to procure for the Bureau of Chemistry an efficient assistant in the person of Dr. H. H. Rusby."

The finding by the President, now ratified by the Committee, warrants the prompt removal of Solicitor McCabe. But what of Secretary Wilson? The report shows that, in at least five instances involving the enforcement of a law that is National in its scope and that concerns the purity of foods taken into the stomachs of 90,000,000 people, Secretary Wilson has violated that law or strained its provisions. The Committee finds that Secretary Wilson conferred upon Dr. Frederick L. Dunlap powers that made him the equal, if not the superior, of Chief Chemist Wiley in the Bureau of Chemistry. It says:

> Congress created the office of Chief of the Bureau, invested it with the authority over the bureau which that rank usually implies. Any office which is created within the bureau by executive order should be essentially inferior to that of the Chief.

The effect of Secretary Wilson's General Order No. 140, defining the duties of Solicitor McCabe under the Appropriation act of 1910, was to

> give the Solicitor the special control over the preparation of cases for presentment to the Department of Justice, which was vested in the Board of Food and Drug Inspection, this control including the power to abate the cases prepared in the Bureau of Chemistry.

The Secretary of Agriculture further treated the findings of the illegal Referee Board of Consulting Scientific Experts

> as conclusive in all cases over the opinions and findings of the Bureau of Chemistry, the tribunal which, by express terms of statute, is vested with authority to determine the questions of adulteration and misbranding within the meaning of the act.

Moreover, by Secretary Wilson's direction the hamstringing of the Bureau of Chemistry is thus effected:

> The decisions of the Bureau of Chemistry, if in opposition to the findings and opinions of the Referee Board, cannot be referred to the courts, and thus permit a judicial decision to be made, as is comprehended under the plain provision of the law.

Secretary Wilson also authorized the procedure, as described by the Committee:

> The record shows that three members of the Referee Board were in attendance at the trial at Indianapolis, Ind., in the capacity of witnesses at the instance and on behalf of the plaintiffs in the suit, to wit, Curtice Brothers and Williams Brothers, who are interested in the sale of foodstuffs to which soda benzoate has been added as a preservative, and that the expenses of these witnesses were paid by the Department of Agriculture. In the opinion of your committee, the payment of these expenses by the Department of Agriculture was wholly without warrant of law.

It was with respect to these violations of law, we think, that the President in his letter of Sept. 15 referred to "broader issues raised by the investigation" which "may require much more radical action" than the question of deciding the guilt or innocence of Dr. Wiley. The committee charitably inclines to the opinion that, in violating the law, Secretary Wilson's motives or sincerity are not to be questioned, and it pays a tribute to "his signal service to the American people" during several Administrations. Its findings prove his incompetence, and any proper consideration of the public welfare would indicate the necessity of his resignation or removal. The indictment in the report is heavy, and it is submitted for the action of Congress.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Abolition Has an Alternative.

In his report on public vehicles and the charges made for their use, the Commissioner of Accounts, like practically everybody else who has investigated the matter with a view to serving general instead of special interests, advises the abolition of the so-called private stands. That conclusion, however, can be reached only after a careful balancing of arguments, for a good deal can be said in favor of these stands as well as a good deal against them.

Not only are the private stands a source of income to the owners of property who permit their existence, and to the companies with which those owners make a bargain not to exercise their veto power, but they must be, on the whole, approved by those upon whose patronage the owners live, else would the patrons enforce their objections by going elsewhere for what they want. And of course it really is desirable, when one wants a taxicab, to be able to get one of the better sort, if one can afford it, driven by a man presumably of more skill and certainly of more responsibility than the unattached chauffeur.

This being the case, it is somewhat strange that nobody has yet suggested what is, perhaps, a preferable alternative to abolishing the private stands. Instead of permitting the hotels, restaurants, clubs and like resorts of the public's cab-using fraction to make the cab companies pay for the withholding of a veto, why should not the city say to them, "If you want special privileges and conveniences that involve the use of the street, you must pay me for it"?

Probably that wouldn't lower cab fares much, for, just as the cab companies now collect from their passengers the tribute exacted by the hotels, so the hotels would then collect from their guests that taken by the city. The new arrangement, however, would at least be put on a simpler and more logical basis. It is, of course, right enough that the owners or occupants of property should have something to say as to what shall not be done in front of their premises, but it is far from obvious why they, as distinguished from the public at large, should have anything at all to say as to what shall be done there. To do that is the business of the city—in other words of all the people.

Attacking a Dear Illusion.

Modernism of the very best kind is illustrated by the plan just announced by President Finley for extending to adults of any age the advantages offered by the College of the City of New York. There is nothing experimental in this, for it is not altogether new here and has been done on a large scale and with entire success by several of the State universities, especially in the Middle West, and there is every reason to believe that the courses for students beyond what is commonly considered the age of instruction will be popular as well as beneficial.

A special effort will be made, it seems, to fit men for the public service, whether of city, State or Nation—and to fit them, not merely to pass examinations and get appointments, but really to prepare them for, and train them in, the efficient performance of official duties. Even to hint, of course, that any free-born American citizen isn't competent to fill any office he can get, is painfully to shock what is still for many of us the most firmly held of our illusions, but the fast-coming horrors of "civil service" have been inflicting such shocks for years, and even the proposition to demand some sort of a degree or diploma as a qualification for office-holding may some day not sound as intolerable as it would now.

To an inquiry as to whether the course of training he purposes to give would-be public servants might not lead to the creation of an official class or bureaucracy, like those existing in some European countries, President Finley calmly replied, in effect, that he hoped it would—that public business, like any other business, was best done by experienced men, and that to turn such a man out of his place merely because he had drawn his salary for a certain number of years was a wild absurdity. It is, indeed, and whatever of sincerity there is in the often expressed hatred, fear, contempt, for "the professional office-holder" is because the species is rare in this country, and of its few representatives, the permanent underlings who do much of the real and all of the best public work, we hear little or nothing.

Professional office-holders worthy of the name, not professional feeders at any rack in the public crib to which they can gain access, are what President Finley hopes to produce. That he cherishes such a hope proves him to be a collateral, if not a lineal, descendant of Mark Tapley, but it is a noble ambition, all the same, and who knows that we may not some day see a man selected for Mayor of New York for the excellent reason that he has been a remarkably good Mayor of a smaller city?

Dynamite Didn't Convince.

If the friends of our most colonelical Colonel cannot in Oklahoma carry a convention by the use of 500 pounds of dynamite, where and how do they expect to get any delegates at all for him?

Just why it was thought possible, even in Oklahoma, to influence by the exploding of this irascible substance the choice of Presidential nominators, it is, fortunately, not our task to explain. The logical irrelevancy of the means selected to the end aimed at is not less obvious to the highest than to the meanest intellect, and yet, somehow, one is not surprised—at any rate one is not amazed—that the so dynamic persuader was used at Coalgate. Deep down in everybody's heart, too, will be a feeling of wonder that after listening to this argument the members of that convention voted 118 to 32 against instructing for the only-by-compulsion candidate.

Hierophants, oneiromancists, observe this strange portent! It means something, but what? Perhaps that too little dynamite was used to be effective—in Oklahoma. Perhaps that even less would serve—elsewhere.

Come to think of it, the explanation of the failure may lie in the fact that dynamite is a bit old-fashioned and less provocative of careful and judicious thought than several newer and more powerful compounds. With real progressives it is out of date.

JOHANNA GADSKI EXPLAINS.

Says She Never Would Pick Only 14 Singers as Greatest.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

To my great surprise I see from a Philadelphia newspaper that in an interview which I gave it I should have furnished the names of the fourteen living operatic singers who in my opinion were the greatest. Part of the article referred to states: "In all fairness to Mme. Gadski it must be said that she picked the fourteen singers whom she considers the greatest off hand." This remark alone clearly explains the whole situation, because, as may be seen from the greater part of the article, in fact about nine-tenths, the main object of the interview was the future of grand opera in America, opera in English, advice to American singers, &c.

In discussing these various points, I was asked incidentally whom I considered the greatest singer, to which I replied that for me Mme. Lilli Lehmann had been the ideal as a dramatic singer, and whose example I have always endeavored to follow, because she, although singing the most difficult Wagnerian roles, also sings perfectly the Mozart operas. The interviewer then asked me what I though, for instance, of Whitehill, and other singers named in the interview, to which I could but reply that they were all first class artists, but I did not think that this part of our conversation was for publication.

In fact, had I known that one object of the interview was to elicit my opinion in regard to the standing of artists, I should have absolutely refused to give an interview at all, as it is not within the province of an artist to pass judgment upon other artists for publication. The mere fact that many of the greatest living artists, for example Jean de Reszke, Mme. Sembrich, as well as many others, have not been mentioned in the interview is sufficient proof that I never would pick out only the fourteen singers mentioned.

Although this is the great country for interviews, I have, on account of past experiences, long ago decided to avoid such interviews as much as possible, as it is very frequently a case of if not to say misquotation at least of misunderstanding, and my last experience has only confirmed me in this opinion, but will any one tell me how to escape a gentleman of the American press?

JOHANNA GADSKI.

New York, Jan. 24, 1912.

The Law Forbidding Spitting.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In the edition of Jan. 9 appears a paragraph which says that Chief Magistrate McAdoo would like to amend the city Sanitary Code, which makes spitting in a public place an offense punishable by arrest or possible imprisonment.

If the condition of Brooklyn Bridge is anything like the sidewalks, the elevated and Subway stairs and platforms of Manhattan, one can but think the law is in very much need of being enforced instead of amended.

MUSE.

New York, Jan. 23, 1912.

Theatre Programmes in Gallery.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Permit me to call attention through your columns to a grievance which I am sure is felt by many patrons of our first-class theatres. I refer to the cheap programmes distributed in the upper balconies. These are mere strips of the coarsest paper, upon which printers' ink blurs so that one has difficulty in reading the names of the characters in the cast.

CONSTANT READER.

New York, Jan. 24, 1912.

MR. DAWLEY'S CHARGES.

Child Labor Secretary Discredits Tale of Suppressing Official Data.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I am amazed that a newspaper of the character and standing of The Times should publish such an attack upon the Federal Bureau of Labor as that of Thomas R. Dawley, Jr., in the issue of Jan. 22. Mr. Dawley is a discharged employe of the Bureau of Labor, and the charges which he now brings against the bureau, namely, that in its report on the condition of woman and child wage-earners in the United States the data secured by the field agents were in many instances changed, in other instances new data were manufactured, and in other instances data were destroyed, are charges which were twice investigated by the Department of Commerce and Labor and found to be utterly without foundation. Mr. Dawley's own report of the lamentable condition of the mountaineers of North Carolina and Tennessee, absurd as it is to those acquainted with the mountain people, is published in the first volume of this report, as it has been published in fuller form in cotton mill journals. After his separation from the service Mr. Dawley occupied himself with addressing Southern cotton mill associations, telling the members of these associations how humane and kind-hearted they were, while at one of the conventions suitable financial arrangements were made for the publication of his articles.

It is interesting to note in Mr. Dawley's report on the condition of the mountain people that while out of 844 families he found only 487 owning their own farms, while 245 of these families lived in one-room houses, he yet learned that out of 1,080 children between the ages of 12 and 20 years only 240 could neither read nor write, and 99 could read, but could not write. This is a lower percentage of illiteracy by half than is found for the children of the cotton mill families, both in the reports of the Bureau of Labor and in the census reports for 1900.

Mr. Dawley is in error in supposing that the investigation into the conditions of the woman and child wage-earners was an outcome of the speech of Senator Beveridge in advocacy of his Federal child labor law. The bill to authorize this investigation was introduced in the Senate April 2, 1906. It passed the Senate Dec. 18, 1906, and passed the House Jan. 21, 1907. Senator Beveridge began his speech on Jan. 23, 1907, resumed it on Jan. 28, and finished it on Jan. 29. There was absolutely no connection between Senator Beveridge's speech and the investigation, and Mr. Dawley's assertion that the investigation was made, presumably, "to ascertain if the Senator's charges were true" is one of many illustrations of Mr. Dawley's recklessness and general irresponsibility.

Not having heard Senator Beveridge's speech in New York, I am not undertaking to defend it even against Mr. Dawley's attack, but the assertion that a report in nineteen volumes, comprising the cotton textile industry, the glass industry, the silk industry, the metal trades, laundries, stores and facorties, and the clothing indsutry, is based upon falsified data is too wanton a statement to go unchallenged.

A. J. McKELWAY,
Secretary for the Southern States, National Child Labor Committee.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 23, 1912.

MAURICE AND THE NEW DANCES.

Disclaims Importing or Teaching Improper Steps.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have remained quiet in the face of rather drastic criticism for a long time—or, at least, it seems so to me—but now I feel that I should say something in my own behalf. Will you bear with me, please?

I have not brought to America that dance they call the "turkey trot" nor the "grizzly bear" nor the "bunny hug." In fact, until I arrived here I did not know of these dances, and then I find them nothing.

Surely, they are immoral if they are danced that way. Any dance is. But it is really funny to me that I, direct from abroad with a repertoire of my own dances, should be accused of importing these movements and teaching them to your young society folk.

May I say this: I would not teach any of these dances to a maiden. I have not and I would not. My own repertoire is extensive enough, and, I hope, artistic enough, to win me the place I work for as a dancer.

MAURICE (MOUVET.)

New York, Jan. 23, 1912.

A Pathetic Song Burlesqued.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I was recently induced to take a young friend to hear, or rather to see "Little Boy Blue." It would be out of place to criticise the play here; the continued success of the piece shows that, in the language of Lincoln, "for those who like that sort of thing it is just the sort of thing that they like."

But in the medley of Scotch songs there was one which, to those who understand it, is undoubtedly one of the most pathetic lyrics in the language, "The Bonnie, Bonnie Banks o' Loch Lomond."

The refrain

> Then ye'll tak' the high road and I'll tak' the low road,
> And I'll be in Scotland afore ye;
> But me and my true love will never meet again
> On the bonnie, bonnie banks o' Loch Lomond,

is probably unintelligible to 95 per cent. of the average audience, but to those who do undestand it and who know the meaning of the lines it conveys a sadness which few verses equal.

The song is based upon the parting of a young Scotchman from his sweetheart as she stood beside the scaffold on which he was about to be executed. He had followed Prince Charlie on his ill-fated incursion into England, so well described in Waverley, was captured, tried, and condemned to death. During the short period which elapsed between his condemnation and execution his sweetheart walked down from Scotland to bid him farewell, and she stood beside the scaffold when he was executed. His parting words to her were: "Ye'll tak' the high road back, but I'll tak' the low road, [through the grave,] and my spirit will be in Scotland afore ye."

To sing that touchingly pathetic refrain in quick, rollicking rag-time measure as is done by the singers in "Little Boy Blue" is to take the very life out of the song and is disgustingly brutal.

JOHN PHIN.

Paterson, N. J., Jan. 23, 1912.

American Ministers' Court Dress.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

After reading your leader in regard to our Ambassador, his Excellency Mr. Leishman, wearing a uniform at the Court in Berlin, I think it might be well to call attention to the fact that our Ministers to foreign Courts always wore our Court uniform until 1853, when the Hon. Franklin Pierce, then President, did away with it. At that time many people wondered how our Ministers would be received wearing only evening dress. I have no doubt but that research would enable one to find out in what our Court dress consisted in early times of the Republic.

A. C. VAN R.

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 22, 1912.

No Army of Domestics.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The morning newspapers tell pitiful tales of hundreds of men who in vain applied for positions in answer to an advertisement inserted evidently as a sorry practical joke. Probably there were twice as many who would have applied had they seen the advertisement.

Where is the corresponding army of cooks, laundresses, and general houseworkers?

The law of supply and demand should be applied to the solution of the present problems of finding employment for the vast army of unemployed and in supplying the ever increasing demand for domestic laborers.

Summit, N. J., Jan. 24, 1912. W. H.

The Length of Bed Sheets.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have read the letter of C. H. Barnes in your issue of to-day on the "Nine-Foot Sheet," and wish to commend its use as a practical sanitary measure. In the day when housewives bought the material and had the sheet made at home, it was an easier matter to regulate the length of sheets, but now, when we buy sheets ready made for use it is not always easy to get them the proper length. An agitation upon this sanitary basis will, I am sure, increase the demand, and the stores, for commercial reasons, will be glad to furnish a ready supply.

VICTORIA BAKER.

New York, Jan. 23, 1912.

Hopkinson Smith on Charles Dickens.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

If Charles Dickens's only claim to fame was the revival of the Christmas spirit throughout the world he would deserve the gratitude of the English-speaking race. For me he has ever been an inspiration and a blessing. I have loved him from the hour I began to read, and the years that have followed have only strengthened my belief that he has done more to humanize and brighten the lives and minds of his readers than any writer of his own or any other time. Every page a clean page, every line a help to right living, right feeling, and right thinking; and all with a joyous spontaneity that will hold the love of millions yet unborn.

F. HOPKINSON SMITH.

New York, Jan. 23, 1912.

RUSSIAN PREMIER ANSWERS ON TREATY

Denies United States Had Ground for Abrogating It—All Foreign Jews Treated Alike.

RIGHTS RESERVED UNDER IT

Economic Reasons for Discrimination Against Jews, Which Is Admitted —Russia Not Making Reprisals.

Vladimir Kokovtsoff, the Premier of Russia, has made a written response to a list of five questions submitted to him by Collier's Magazine on the abrogated treaty with Russia. President Taft abrogated the treaty of 1832. The announcement of abrogation, couched though it was in the language of diplomacy, and avoiding the assertions which made objectionable to Russia the Sulzer resolution passed by Congress Dec. 13, was followed, nevertheless, by cabled reports that Russia intended to make immediate tariff reprisals. The questions submitted to the Premier were prepared after consultation with men interested in all phases of the issue. These are the questions and the answers:

No Ground for Abrogation.

Has not Russia afforded the United States ground for abrogating the treaty of 1832 by her violation in excluding United States citizens, especially of Jewish faith?

No, Russia has not afforded the United States any ground for abrogating the treaty. The treaty of 1832 was made exclusively for commercial purposes, and a clause in the very first article stipulated that American citizens arriving in Russia, and Russian subjects arriving in the United States, should be subject to the internal laws and regulations of the respective countries. The entry of American citizens of Jewish faith into Russia is not absolutely prohibited. With respect to them as to other American citizens, and in strict accordance with the stipulations of the treaty, our country enforces certain rules. These rules were established by Russian internal legislation which permits the entry into Russia of foreign Jews only in definite cases. The rules have been in force ever since the treaty was concluded, and there never has been any cause to doubt the legality, and there could not be any, because the enforcement, as before pointed out, was stipulated in the treaty itself.

Treatment of the Jews.

Has Russia treated American citizens of Jewish descent differently in respect of their privileges under the treaty than it has treated other American citizens not Hebrews?

Yes, Russia has treated American Jews differently from the very beginning. It has treated them exactly on the same basis as all other foreign Jews without exception. Nevertheless, not a single civilized country ever disputed the right of another country to define for itself classes of undesirables, because under the principles of international law this right is the absolutely incontestable prerogative of every sovereign power. Guided thereby, the United States established exactly in the same way in immigration acts classes of undesirable aliens, determined by qualifications of an economic, sanitary, moral, social, and even religious character. American legislation, for instance, prohibited the entry into the United States of persons belonging to religious bodies tolerating polygamy, whereas Russian legislation does not see any cause for such restriction. Still, as I said, such classes of undesirable aliens are defined for itself by each country. Wherefore, neither the Russian nor American Government saw any violation of the treaty of 1832 in the passage and enforcement of the aforesaid American immigration acts. This ought to be clear to every statesman.

Exclusion for Economic Reasons.

If so, has Russia special reasons for such discrimination?

For economic and social reasons Russian legislation established a whole range of restrictions upon its Jewish subjects. To allow free entry of foreign Jews into Russia is obviously impossible under the circumstances. They would then enjoy greater rights in Russia than Russia's own Jewish subjects. Therein lies the special reason for the discrimination which Russia practices toward foreign Jews wishing to enter Russia. I must add that existing restrictions are considered a measure of defense for the Russian masses against alien domination. Concern for such measures of protection must be understood by the United States, which for similar reasons prohibited the entry of Asiatics.

No Threat of Reprisals.

If Russia, in administering the treaty, has given the United States ground for denouncing the treaty, why does she seek to penalize the United States by proposals to increase duties 100 per cent. on American goods?

Russia, or, to be more precise, the Russian Government, has not yet expressed any intention of applying reprisals toward goods of American origin. The proposals for reprisals originated in various quarters, but the Government has not yet indicated in any manner its attitude thereon. The future course of the whole affair must depend upon the negotiations which will follow between the Governments regarding the basis of the new agreement. Proposals to this purpose must come from the American Government as the side which declared abrogation.

Leaves Answer to United States.

In view of traditional friendship, if Russia has not given grounds for abrogating the treaty, to what does she attribute the proposal of the United States for abrogation?

Only the United States can answer this question. I noted that in a recent speech President Taft declared that he considered the treaty obsolete, wherefore he notified us of its abrogation.

OLD WOMEN PRAY FOR TAFT.

Add a Line to Daily Devotions in Honor of Coming Visit.

President Taft has accepted an invitation to attend the fifteenth annual ball of the Home of the Daughters of Jacob, which will be held this year at the Seventy-first Regiment Armory on Jan. 27. The President will be received by a special committee, of which Judge Otto A. Rosalsky is Chairman.

The 185 inmates of the home at 301 East Broadway have been greatly interested in the President's promised visit, and have added a line for him to their prayers. The Chairman of the Ball Committee is Mrs. Gussie Meyer. Mrs. A. J. Dworsky is President of the home.

MUSEUM BUILDING PLANS.

Architects' Designs for Natural History Institution Are Filed.

Plans were filed yesterday by Trowbridge & Livingston, architects, for erecting two additional wings to the Museum of Natural History. The buildings will be five stories high and have a combined frontage of 157.9 feet and a depth of 63.10.

The façades will be of brick and granite and will be fireproof. One will be known as the Whale Hall and the other will be a southeast wing of the main structure. These additions, it is estimated, will cost $700,000.

NO MAGIC ENOUGH TO GIVE THIS PLAY LIFE

Even Miss Elliott's Exquisite Witchery Cannot Save Baby-Blue Love Story.

CLIPPINGS FROM PHILLIPS

Actress Plays Charmingly—Beautifully Assisted by Mr. L'Estrange, but "White Magic" Won't Work.

WHITE MAGIC. A Comedy in Three Acts. By David Graham Phillips and Rol Cooper Megrue. Criterion Theatre.

Beatrice Richmond	Gertrude Elliott
Roger Wade	Julian L'Estrange
Hector Richmond	George Le Guere
Mrs. Daniel Richmond	Ruth Chester
Allie Kinnear	Florence Brian
Mrs. Kinnear	Suzanne Sheldon
John Peter Capulet	Alexander Scott-Gatty
Daniel Richmond	Ben Johnson
Butler	Charles Dowd
Valentine	Suzanne Perry

She was a lovely young thing with a rich father and a prospective rich husband—whom she didn't fancy as a fiancé, and would probably have hated after marriage. And one day it was raining and she took refuge in an artist's studio. And she fell asleep and he came in. And then she awoke and he made her some chocolate in an old tin-pot and served it to her out of an old tin-cup. And he drank out of his shaving mug.

Wasn't that just too utterly romantic for wards?

And she made believe it was all a dream and asked him to do likewise. But he was so fine and strong and handsome that dreaming wasn't as easy for him. But, anyhow, she discovered that he had ideals ever so different from anything that she had ever known and she fell head over ears in love with him.

What's more, she told him so.

And she kept telling him so through the greater part of three acts; first, while he was in his working clothes, minus a coat, and presently when he had come to her millionaire father's home in beautifully, fitting evening clothes, with a perfectly lovely white shirt that he said he had ironed himself; and once again after he had run away and been followed by her to a hotel, because like the person in the song she wanted what she wanted when she wanted it.

That was after her father had insulted him by offering him a chance to make a lot of money so that the little daughter could have her way.

But now he was going to Paris, so he was, where he couldn't possibly ever see her again, (you might have thought it was to the unexplored wilds of Africa from all the fuss they made about it,) but he only got as far as the elevator, and then—he came back. And he 'fessed up that he had loved her all the time, and you may believe, if you like, that they were happy ever after.

All of which and more of the same sort is set forth at what seems considerably more than due length in "White Magic," a play reputed to be the result of collaboration by the late David Graham Phillips and Rol Cooper Megrue and acted at the Criterion Theatre last night. What is more, it was so charmingly acted in its principal parts by Miss Gertrude Elliott and Julian L'Estrange that one's feeling of regret grew all the more keen as the ineptness and childishness of the whole affairs became apparent. For a few minutes, at the beginning of the play, there was the suggestion of a sunshiny little comedy, not very deep or broad, to be sure, but possibly containing a means to pleasurable entertainment. The girl of the story had an engaging frankness, the man an agreeable freshness. And when he decided that she was just the right girl to act as the model for his picture and she eagerly availed herself of the offer, though it was quite apparent what would happen, one had hopes that the embroidery would be less familiar than the theme.

But hope died in the next act. He was painting the picture and her mother and brother came along, and mother was stiff-necked and proud, and her manners were very bad, (especially since she was supposed to be trying to deceive people who couldn't possibly be deceived when she behaved like that,) and brother was a good sort and liked the artist immensely and—well he had to come to dinner. And by the time this happened you had met her fiancé, who fortunately was in love with another girl, and her father, who was the millionaire and who acted exactly as these wonderful self-made financial giants almost always act, (in plays.) And then, curious delusion, the playwrights presumably expected you to be engrossed in a conversation which bored the two principals to it themselves, as if the things which are stupid to the characters could by any chance be otherwise to us who have to sit out and listen.

Plays made from books are often tedious affairs. This one is often silly. It makes the second of the series of "clippings from Phillips" seen within a month. One thing is certain—if publishers are wise they will put a stop to the practice. Mr. Phillips's stories are said to be very good, certainly they have had large sales. But, expressing a mere individual notion on the subject it may be said that this writer at least will feel no strong inclination to read them as a result of seeing the plays.

All of which, as has been suggested, is the more of a pity because "White Magic" again brings that very charming and delightful comedienne, Miss Gertrude Elliott, before the public in a play which cannot possibly endure. All that can be done for it she does. She is gracious, winning, and always delightfully, radiantly, and most appealingly feminine and charming. This, too, in spite of the situation which makes her rather the silliest sort of an argument of the theory advanced by Bernard Shaw in "Man and Superman." But if the work of pursuit were generally as obvious as this, mere man would never be overtaken and annexed. Which, of course, is not the fault of the actress, but of the rôle.

The heroic painter, too, (he really had a reputation and a legion of honor button) is also a rather queer fish, with his reiterations about being "afraid he must be going." But in spite of the character one must like Julian L'Estrange, who acts it consistently, gracefully, and with a suggestion, both of humor and of strength. Mr. Ben Johnson, as the father, was very satisfactory at first—then the absurdity of the part and his own inclination toward power and sentimentality were too much.

The other characters, mere sketches, were played neatly enough by George LeGuere, Ruth Chester, Suzanne Sheldon, and Florence Brian, otherwise Mrs. Donald Brian, making her stage début.

And there was some really pretty scenery.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Annette Kellermann will soon add a song to her act at the Winter Garden, making then her first appearance as a vocalist. Miss Kellermann's mother was Mme. Melba's first teacher of singing in Australia.

Mme. Maeterlink, (Georgette Le Blanc,) the French singer and actress, occupied a box at the Hippodrome yesterday afternoon. Between the acts she asked to be presented to Arthur Voegtlin, the scenic producer, and Carroll Fleming, the stage director, to compliment them on their work.

Twelve members of the Russian Balalaika Orchestra that have remained in this country will make their first vaudeville appearance at Hammerstein's Victoria Theatre the week of Feb. 5. Another special feature for that week will be the "Boston Red Sox" quartet, made up of Boston American League ball players.

A special matinée of "A Butterfly on the Wheel" will be given at the Thirty-ninth Street Theatre this afternoon, so that Lewis Waller, the producer and manager, will have an opportunity to see the performance. Mr. Waller's engagement in "The Garden of Allah" at the Century Theatre has made this impossible before.

Werba & Luescher announced yesterday that the cast of "The Rose Maid" would include Edith Decker, Adrienne Augarde, Edward Gallagher, Albert Shean, R. E. Graham, Irene Bentley, Eugene Redding, Arthur Laceby, F. M. Bottomley, Dorothy Follis, Emilie Lea, Virginia Steinhardt, and Millie Murray. Bruno Granichstaedten, the composer, will arrive in New York from Vienna Monday to assist in the rehearsals and be present at the first performance in Baltimore on Feb. 26.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Bishop Courtney and Miss Courtney will give a reception to-day at their home, 63 East Seventy-fourth Street, from 4 until 7 o'clock. Mrs. Harold F. Hadden and Mrs. Eugene H. Outerbridge will pour tea.

Mrs. J. F. D. Lanier is giving a dinner followed by informal dancing this evening at her town house.

Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee is giving a dinner this evening for Miss Evelyn S. Witherbee, and will afterward take the guests to the Cinderella cotillion at Sherry's.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Minturn will give a small theatre party and supper on Feb. 6 for Miss Julia W. Robbins.

Mrs. John Aspegren is giving a dinner, followed by dancing, to-night for Miss Caramai Carroll.

Mrs. Newbold Le Roy is giving a reception to-day at her New Rochelle home, 120 Elm Street.

Mrs. George R. Read and Miss Eleanor Hastings are giving this afternoon an informal tea at 28 East Fifty-sixth Street.

The second Cinderella dance takes place at Sherry's this evening.

The dinner hostesses of this evening include Mrs. Joseph Palmer Knapp, Mrs. J. Allen Townsend, and Mrs. Charles F. Hoffman.

Mrs. J. Muhlenberg Bailey will give a reception this afternoon at her residence, 77 Madison Avenue, for the Colonial Dames of America. W. J. Henderson will read a paper on French music and Mrs. G. T. Snelling will sing.

The Misses Louisa Lee Schuyler and Georgina Schuyler entertained yesterday with a tea and musicale at their home, 37 Madison Avenue. Mrs. Van Rensselaer Schuyler sang selections from Grieg, Bemberg, and others.

A concert has been arranged to raise funds for the building of a home in New York for aged British men and women. It will take place Feb. 9 at 4 P. M. at the Plaza. Among the patrons and patronesses are Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce, Bishop Courtney, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, Mrs. Samuel Van Dusen, and others.

Mrs. Carl von Mayhoff will give a theatre party on Feb. 20 for Miss Edith Gracie, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Gracie.

Mrs. Frederick Vanderbilt has given two prizes to be offered to-day at the bridge at Sherry's in aid of the Babies' Ward of the Post Graduate Hospital. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Rear Admiral Chadwick and Mrs. Chadwick have arrived in town from Newport, and are the guests of the latter's sister, Wilmot Townsend Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Morgan of New York are at the Alcazar in St. Augustine for the season there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman B. Kendall will be at home on Sunday, Feb. 4, from 4 to 7, at 520 Park Avenue.

Mrs. Richard P. Hart gave a bridge yesterday at her residence, 130 East Sixty-seventh Street, for Mrs. Frank Mebane. Mrs. Franklin Mott Warner poured tea. The guests included Mrs. Robert Parish, Mrs. Patten Glover, Mrs. Benjamin Thayer, Mrs. Lyman Short, Mrs. Rufus Patterson, Mrs. Lovell Jerome, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Brooks and their children, who sailed on the Olympic, are to be the guests in London of Mr. and Mrs. Waldorf Astor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Swan of Newport have arrived at the Gotham to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew will entertain at dinner on Jan. 27 and Feb. 8 at their residence, 27 West Fifty-fourth Street.

Mrs. Charles Tremain of 53 East Sixty-seventh Street, has arrived at Palm Beach from Havana. Later she will go to St. Augustine.

GAYNOR A GRANDFATHER.

Son Born to Mayor's Eldest Daughter, Mrs. W. Seward Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Seward Webb, Jr., of 680 Fifth Avenue are being congratulated on the birth of a son on Sunday last. Mrs. Webb was Miss Gertrude Gaynor and is the eldest daughter of Mayor Gaynor. The couple were married at Wilmington, Del., about a year ago without letting any one know.

Mr. Webb is with the banking house of J. P. Morgan & Co.

MISS BUCKLEY TO WED.

Daughter of Mrs. Richard W. Buckley to Marry Philip McFadden.

Mrs. Richard W. Buckley of 58 East Seventy-third Street has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Annette Buckley, to Philip G. McFadden, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. McFadden of Philadelphia. Miss Buckley's sister, Mrs. John S. Martin, was married on Nov. 9 last to Sterling Postley and they are now spending their honeymoon in Europe.

Mr. McFadden is well known both here and in Philadelphia. He is a member of the Cotton Exchange and belongs to the Metropolitan and Racquet and Tennis clubs. He lives at the Ritz-Carlton and is an automobile enthusiast, owning several cars. He was graduated from Oxford in 1899.

The wedding will take place the second week in April.

ADELSON—MYERS.

Thomas Adelson announces the engagement of his daughter, Cherrie Beatrix Adelson, to Herman A. Myers. The wedding will take place in April.

Columbia Graduates to Give a Play.

The Graduate Dramatic Association of Columbia University will present "Her Husband's Wife" at the Carnegie Lyceum Wednesday evening, Feb. 7.

The cast is composed of Mrs. Adelaide Richardson, Miss Eva Von Baur, Mrs. Schuyler Imbrie, and the Messrs. Blackburn Miller, T. H. Hamilton, and Walter E. Kelly. The proceeds of the play will be devoted to the College Scholarship Fund of the Alumni Association of the New York Collegiate Institute.

Dinner for Miss Robbins.

Mrs. Julian W. Robbins gave a dinner last night at her residence, 33 East Seventy-fourth Street, for her débutante daughter, Miss Julia W. Robbins, and afterward took her party to the dance for Miss Kennedy.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. John W. Minturn, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander D. B. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Snowden Fahnestock, Mr. and Mrs. Courtlandt Nicoll, the Misses Emil Sloane, Katharine Steward, Helen Coster and Angelica Brown, and also Phoenix Ingraham, Lydig Hoyt, Sumner Gerard, and Percy Pyne.

Luncheon for Miss Louisa Johnson.

Mrs. Daniel E. Seybel gave a luncheon yesterday at the Lorraine for her débutante cousin, Miss Louisa Johnson. The guests were seated at three tables, decorated with Spring flowers and included the Misses Elizabeth Sherman, Ethel Outerbridge, Constance Williams, Rosamond Sherman, Maud Kennedy, Caramai Carroll, Elizabeth Thompson, Helen Hyde, Alice Louise Abbott, Doris Bissell, Julia Gilbert, Viola and Adeline Townsend, Dorothy Black, Mildred Dodge, Vieva Fisher, Mary Haskell, Helen Kelley, Dorothy Smith, Margaret Strong, Anna Cronkite, Lucy Dahlgren, Anna Lyman Short, Mrs. Joseph F. Manning, Mrs. Flake Manning, and Mrs. Henry Meyer Johnson.

Mrs. Ferry Gives Dinner.

Mrs. E. Howard Ferry gave a dinner last evening for her daughter, Miss Harriet Ferry, and after it some of the guests attended the dance for Miss Kennedy.

Among those asked for the dinner were the Misses Elizabeth Hoyt, Laura Livingston, Ursula Brown, Lisa Stillman, Alice Edgar, Caro Brown, Alice Ely, Sarah Manice, Eleanor Mellon, Sara Pyle, Howland Davis, T. Chesley Richardsonn, Craig Wadsworth, Franklin Plummer, E. Victor Loew, William Wendell, Dewees Dilworth, William Bayliss, Jr., Seth Trent, Thomas Barnes, Henry Mellon, and W. de Forest Manice.

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DINNERS PRECEDE EVENT

Hostess and Her Two Daughters Receive at Entrance to Large Ball Room—Young Guests.

Mrs. H. Van Rensselaer Kennedy gave a dance last night for her daughter, Miss Maud Kennedy, one of the Winter's débutantes. The dance was at Sherry's, where both the small and large ballrooms were taken for the entertainment.

Several dinners preceded it. Mrs. Kennedy gave one at her residence, 40 East Fifty-second Street, of twenty covers, and Mrs. Julian W. Robbins and Mrs. Charles B. Alexander and several others entertained at dinner, taking their parties to the dance.

The guests, who numbered between 200 and 250, were asked to come at 11 o'clock, and were received near the entrance to the large ballroom by Mrs. Kennedy in a yellow satin gown, having a white tunic and a cluster of red poppies at the corsage. She was assisted by her two daughters, Miss Marion Kennedy, in a pink frock with a silvery white overdress, and the débutante, in a white frock and tunic with a blue sash.

The large ballroom and the other suite as well were decorated in green and white, roses, white lilacs, and Spring flowers being used. At 12:30 a seated supper was served in the small ballroom. There was no cotillion, and the dnace was a comparatively early one, there being no second supper or breakfast.

The guests included a number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, young married people, and a few of last year's buds and most of this season's débutantes. Among them were the Misses Marjorie and Florence Blair, Jean Morris, Julia Robbins, Hope Warren, Noel Johnston, Elizabeth Turnure, Katharine Lawrance, Olivia Cutting, Mildred Rives, Lucy Dahlgren, Emily Sloane, Helen Coster, Laura Livingston, Sarah Manice, Janetta Alexander, Josephine Nicoll, Katharine Chapin, Louise Knowlton, Evelyn Witherbee, Marjorie Curtis, Helena Fish, Joan Whitridge, Laura Webb, Agnes Claflin, Mary Rathbone, Jane Morgan, Frances Breese.

Also Lydig Hoyt, Franklin Plummer, Craig Wadsworth, Sumner Gerard, Thornton Wilson, Phoenix Ingraham, F. B. Hoffman, Jr., W. W. Hoffman, J. Harry Alexandre, Barclay Parsons, Bayard Hoppin, Buell Hollister, Newton Rae, Oliver Bird, Jr., Malcolm Sloane, Kenneth Budd, and many of the younger dancing men.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Archibald G. Thacher, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Julian W. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. John Minturn, Mr. and Mrs. Allen A. Robbins, Mrs. French Vanderbilt, and others.

MISS GERHARDT'S RECITAL.

Second Appearance of the German Lieder Singer in Carnegie Hall.

Miss Elena Gerhardt's second song recital, which she gave yesterday in Carnegie Hall, was quite as interesting as her first, and gave further evidence of her remarkable powers as a singer of German Lieders, of her versatility and variety of expression within that field. Of her six songs by Schumann, several were among the less familiar of his works, as "Mädchen Schwermut," "In's Freie," "Die Kartenlegerin," and these she sang with great art and fine throated vigor,—the last named with vivacity. As before, there was charm in her use of the half voice and less, as in "Der Nussbaum," and Liszt's "Ueber Allen Gipfeln." Miss Gerhardt has plenty of temperament for Brahms's gypsy songs, of which she sang six, of contrasted moods. "Temperament" in fact, abounds in Miss Gerhardt's artistic equipment. Occasionally, it gets beyond bounds, but not often. In Liszt's "Die Drei Zigeuner" her exposition of the changing sentiments and picturesque quality of the music was elaborately worked out, and was presented with fine art. Her selection of songs by Wolf and Strauss gave her an opportunity for much of her power of differentiating moods. Miss Gerhardt's singing is full of this; there is an unceasing variety of expression, color, and nuance in it that gives it a fascination of a wholly individual sort; it is joined with skill in vocal art, and the medium of it all is a voice of beauty, power, and sympathetic quality. It is an excellent combination, and is needed.

Miss Gerhardt added her strikingly vigorous and fresh interpretation of Brahms's song, "Der Schmied," after his gypsy songs, and at the end his "Vergebliches Ständchen." The audience was large and showed much interest in Miss Gerhardt's performance.

Ex-Supreme Court Justice W. B. Crew.

MARIETTA, Ohio, Jan. 24.—An illness of only a few hours resulted in the death here to-night of ex-Supreme Court Justice William B. Crew of McConnellsville, Ohio. Judge Crew was an intimate political friend of the late Senator Marcus A. Hanna before his election to the Supreme bench in 1902. He served till February of last year, being defeated for re-election in the political landslide in this state in November, 1910. He was 60 years of age.

Obituary Notes.

HENRY A. PEASE, a well-known resident of Elizabeth, N. J., died in that city on Tuesday.

DIEDRICH COOK, an East New York builder, died yesterday at his home, 71 Van Sicklen Avenue, Brooklyn. Mr. Cook was active in religious circles, and was Treasurer of the English Lutheran Church of the Reformation.

JOHN N. BUCKRIDGE, keeper of the Saybrook Light for the last nineteen years, and who was connected with the Government Lighthouse Service for a quarter of a century, died at his home in Westbrook, Conn., yesterday, of a paralytic shock. He was born in New York City in 1838 and served at Stepping Stones, L. I.; Stratford Shoals, Conn., and Eton's Neck, L. I., Lights, before being assigned to Saybrook. Mr. Buckridge also served seven years in the United States Navy and was three years with the Sixth New York Heavy Artillery in the civil war.

DECATUR HUNTER, lumber dealer in Jacksonville, Fla., and Albany, N. Y., died at his home in Albany yesterday. He was born in Valley Falls, N. Y., in 1843.

Mrs. HARRIET A. DICKINSON, wife of John W. Dickinson, receiver of the Russell Card Company, died suddenly at New Brunswick, N. J., yesterday.

Mrs. FRANCIS ALMENA FOSTER BRYAN died on Tuesday at her home, 600 East 164th Street. She was born in this city eighty years ago, and married Oliver Bryan, who was a ship chandler in South Street.

Mrs. CATHERINE McCOLLUM, widow of Matthew McCollum, died on Monday at her home, 40 Macon Street, Brooklyn. She was 69 years old and was born in Brooklyn.

WILLIAM CARBERRY, at one time a friend and lieutenant of Richard Croker, died Tuesday from a stroke of paralysis at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Anna M. Gill, 104 East 124th Street.

FRANCIS ARTHUR DYER, 26 years old, a member of the real estate firm of Dyer & O'Brien, died on Monday at his home, 1,107 Lincoln Place, Brooklyn.

Dr. JACOB GERSTL, who had been for twenty years a practitioner in Harlem, died on Sunday at his residence, 206 West 143d Street.

Mrs. ISAAC L. HOYT, widow of Capt. Isaac Hoyt, died in Stamford, Conn., yesterday, in her eighty-sixth year.

Mrs. LUCY VARIAN GILSEY died on Tuesday at her home, 10 East Thirty-sixth Street. She had been ill for a year. Mrs. Gilsey was a daughter of George W. Varian. She married the late Henry Gilsey, third son of Peter Gilsey, founder of the Gilsey estate.

WILLIAM A. LINCOLN of New Haven, 75 years old, formerly Chief of Police of Stamford, Conn., died at the Soldiers' Home at Noroton Heights yesterday.

JAMES P. DEUEL, for more than thirty years stage manager of the Chestnut Street Opera House, and one of the oldest stage managers in the country, is dead at his home, 1737 Arch Street, Philadelphia. He was 71 years old.

CHARLES H. SWATZE, a musician, 31 years old, died on Monday at his home, 316 Lincoln Road, Brooklyn.

THOMAS H. WILLETS, formerly of the firm of Willets & Son of this city, died yesterday from neuritis at his home, Homewood, Roslyn, L. I. He was born in Flushing, L. I., in 1843, son of Edmund and Martha Willets. He went into the crockery business in New York City with his father and brothers.

A SONATA RECITAL.

Miss Kathleen Parlow and Ernesto Consolo Play Together at Hotel Astor.

The first of a series of "sonata recitals" was given by Miss Kathleen Parlow and Ernesto Consolo last evening in the north ballroom of the Hotel Astor, a room well adapted for chamber music by its size and excellent acoustics. The concert givers are well known to New York, and both appeared to excellent advantage in the performance of chamber music. Mr. Consolo has before now shown his skill and sympathy in this department of art. Miss Parlow has gained her repute as a solo violinist, and the player of concertos is not always at ease in chamber music. But she showed last evening that she is not only a virtuoso but a musician as well by her admirable performance of the three sonatas that made up the programme.

They were Brahms's in D minor, Mozart's in A, and Saint Saens's in D minor. There were some evidences of unripeness in certain passages of Brahms's sonata, a work of noble and sustained eloquence, passion, and fire; but Miss Parlow zart's in A, and Saint Saëns's in D minor, with breadth of phrasing, nobility of tone, and with the vitality and energy that are characteristic of her. In this as in the rest of the music her intonation was accurate and her execution unusually clear and finished. Mozart's sonata, a work of great beauty, was set forth in a style truly Mozartian in its warmth and vivacity; in this Mr. Consolo played with remarkable fluency and brilliancy, not as one displaying his facility in the rippling passage work in which the piano part joined forces in the performance of music lation as the support and complement of the violin. The sonata by Saint Saens is ingenious and skillful, in the last movement full of bravura, in which the twain were quite at one in spirit and purpose. They have, in fact, gained a remarkable understanding and unity in their ensemble, for players who have so recently joined forces in the performance of music of this sort, in which mutual understanding and unity are so essential.

Benefit Performance for Ted Marks.

George M. Cohan will give a special matinée performance of "The Little Millionaire" at Cohan's Theatre on the afternoon of Feb. 15 for the benefit of Ted D. Marks, the theatrical manager, who has been ill for about a week. Mr. Marks was on the road as business manager for Charlotte Walker in "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," and was taken ill. He came to New York at once, and his condition is causing his friends considerable anxiety.

Wolf-Ferrari to Conduct Cantata.

Ermanno Wolf-Ferrari, the composer, who has returned from Chicago, after the production there of his newest opera, "I Giojelli della Madonna," will conduct the performance of his cantata, "La Vita Nuova," at the Metropolitan Opera House on Sunday evening. The solo parts will be sung by Alma Gluck and Pasquale Amato.

CHARLES FINNEY COX DEAD.

Treasurer of New York Central Lines and Zoological Society Founder.

Charles Finney Cox, for many years Treasurer of the New York Central lines west of Buffalo and a founder of the New York Zoological Society, of which he was Treasurer at the time of his death, died yesterday from pneumonia at his residence, 5 Delavan Terrace, Yonkers.

He was born in Richmond County, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1846, and was educated in the College of the City of New York and Oberlin College, Ohio, where he received the degrees of A. B. and A. M. He entered the service of the Canadian Southern Railroad in 1870 as accountant, and was at different times Assistant Treasurer, Treasurer, Secretary, Vice President, and President of various railroad companies.

Mr. Cox was a member of the New York Academy of Sciences, of which he was President in 1908-09. He was President of the New York Miscroscopical Society in 1888, a member of the Torrey Botanical Club, the Linnaean Society, and the New York Zoological Society. He was a Fellow of the Royal Miscroscopical Society of London, and was delegated representative of the Academy of Sciences at the Darwinian Centenary held a few years ago at Oxford, England.

With Cornelius Vanderbilt, who was a close personal friend, he was associated in founding the Railroad Branch of the Y. M. C. A. of the City of New York. He was also a member of the Committee for the Prevention of Tuberculosis of the Charity Organization Society. Mr. Cox was a member of the Madison Square Presbyterian Church, and a member of the Century Association, the University Club, the Union League, and Transportation Club, of which latter he was Vice President.

Mr. Cox is survived by his wife and daughter, Mrs. Edwin B. Jenks.

Robert M. Taggart Dead.

Robert Morrow Taggart, owner of high bred horses, died Tuesday from paralysis at his home in East Orange, N. J., in his 64th year. He was the grandson of James Danforth, founder of the locomotive building industry of Paterson. Mr. Taggart was married to Miss Jennie Bailey, each receiving as a wedding gift $1,000,000. Mr. Taggart was the owner of Lady Wilkes, Gladys and other race horses.

In his will it is provided that his stock farm in Dutchess County shall still be maintained, and that his horses shall be pensioned for life.

Capt. Frederick Perkins.

Capt. Frederick Perkins, 90 years old, the oldest of the coastwise skippers, died on Monday at the home of his lifelong companion, Capt. John A. Pese, in Verona, N. J. Capt. Perkins was born in Hartford, Conn., and ran away to sea when he was 13 years old. From 1854 to 1860 he ran a steamship between New York and Philadelphia. At the beginning of the war Capt. Perkins became master of a troop ship. He retired twenty years ago.

Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Born.

SNEED.—Jan. 21, Newburg, N. Y., to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Sneed, a son.

ZIMMERMAN.—Jan. 19, Danbury, Conn., to Mr. and Mrs. J. Zimmerman, a son.

Married.

FLANDREAU—TOWNSEND.—On Jan. 24, 1912, at St. Ann's P. E. Church, on the Heights, Brooklyn, N. Y., by the Rev. C. Campbell Walker, rector, assisted by the Rev. Reese F. Alsop, D. D., rector emeritus, Eleanor, daughter of Mrs. Frances B. Townsend and the late George Townsend of New Rochelle, N. Y., to Nelson Eugene Flandreau of Brooklyn, N. Y.

DRENNEN — O'GRADY.—Jan. 23, Helen O'Grady to William L. Drennen.

NILES—BROWN.—Jan. 23, Florence M. Brown to William W. Niles.

Brooklyn.

PERINE—MERKLEE.—Jan. 23, Carrie B. Merklee to Albert D. Perine.

TIBBAK—CAMP.—Jan. 23, Dorothy S. Camp to Cyrus F. Tibbak, Jr.

New Jersey.

RANEY—BAND.—Jan. 22, Trenton, Lillian E. Band to John A. Raney.

HICKS—McCABE.—Jan. 23, Newark, Lucille McCabe to Theodore J. Hicks.

Died.

BLISS.—At Chester, Penn., on Jan. 24, 1912, Mary Ann Raymond Bliss, widow of Geo. R. Bliss, D. D., in her 91st year. Services private. Interment at Lewisbury, Penn.

BRINKERHOFF.—On Tuesday, Jan. 23, 1912, Sarah E., widow of Benjamin F. Brinkerhoff. Funeral services at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Sharp, Broad Av. and Christie Heights St., Leonia, N. J., Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment at New Canaan, Conn., Friday morning. Services in Cemetery Chapel, after arrival of train leaving New York City at 10:02.

BRYAN.—On Tuesday, Jan. 23, 1912, at her residence, 600 East 164th St., Frances Almena Foster, widow of Oliver Bryan and daughter of the late Abel Kimbal and Caroline Crocker Foster. Funeral services will be held at St. Andrew's Church, 127th St. and 5th Av., Thursday, Jan. 25, at 2 P. M. New Haven papers please copy.

CORBITT.—On Wednesday, Jan. 24, 1912, Mary Theresa, beloved wife of the late Patrick Corbitt. Funeral from her late residence, 108 East 78th St., on Friday, Jan. 26, at 10:30 A. M. Thence to Church of St. Ignatius Loyola, Park Av. and 84th St. Interment at Calvary.

COX.—On Wednesday, Jan. 24, Charles Finney Cox. Funeral services at his late residence, 5 Delavan Terrace, Yonkers, Saturday, Jan. 27th, 10:30 A. M. Special transportation will be provided at Yonkers for friends on arrival of train leaving Grand Central terminal at 9:50 A. M.

CURTIS.—In Stratford, Conn., Jan. 24, 1912, Charles B. Curtis, aged 72 years. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, Stratford, Friday, Jan. 26, at 2:30 P. M.

DALLAM.—The New York City Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, announce with deep regret the sudden death on Tuesday, Jan. 23, of Bessie, beloved wife of William A. Dallam, and eldest daughter of their Regent and Honorary President General N. S. D. A. R., Mrs. Donald McLean.

Mrs. M. C. MURRAY HYDE,
Recording Secretary.

DAVID.—On Tuesday, Jan. 23, 1912, Mrs. Julia A. David, in her 96th year. Funeral on Friday, at 11 o'clock, from the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. C. W. Parmelee, New Brunswick, N. J.

EDWARDS.—On Jan. 22, Pierrepont Edwards, at his residence, Elizabeth, N. J. Funeral services private.

EMERSON.—At his residence, 293 Lenox Av., New York, on Wednesday, Jan. 24, 1912, Nathaniel Whittier Emerson, in the 84th year of his age. Cincinnati papers please copy.

FERRIS.—On Tuesday, Jan. 23, Joseph Seymour Ferris, after a short illness. Funeral services from his late residence, 111 Embree Crescent, Westfield, N. J., on Thursday evening, Jan. 25, at 7:30 P. M. Interment in Greenwood at convenience of family. Train foot of Liberty St. at 6:15 P. M.

GILSEY.—On Jan. 23, 1912, at her residence, in the City of New York, Lucy Gilsey, widow of Henry Gilsey and daughter of the late George W. and Margaret Varian. Funeral services at the Church of the Transfiguration, 29th St., near 5th Av., on Jan. 26, at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Died.

GLOVER.—On Jan. 23, at her residence, 952 6th Av., New York, Mrs. Anne Harper Glover, in her 84th year. Interment Thursday, the 25th, 1:30 P. M., Kensico Cemetery.

GOLDENBERG.—Sarah, widow of Levi Goldenberg, beloved mother of Mrs. Louis Fisher, Mrs. Morris L. Chaim, and Samuel L. Goldenberg, in her 80th year, after a short illness, of pneumonia. Funeral Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from her late residence, 116 East 72d St. Kindly omit flowers.

GOLDENBERG.—Temple Beth-El, 5th Av. and 76th St. Members are respectfully requested to attend the funeral of our late member, Mrs. Sarah Goldenberg, Thursday, at 10 o'clock, from 116 East 72d St.

SOL. SULZBERGER, President.

HAMMACHER.—On Jan. 24, in Hamburg, Germany, Albert Hammacher, after a short illness, in his 73d year.

HARKNESS.—On Jan. 23, John W. Harkness, beloved husband of Margaret Cooper. Funeral from his late home, 30 East 55th St., Jan. 26, 1:30 P. M. Omit flowers.

HILL.—On Tuesday, Jan. 23, 1912, Addie A., younger daughter of William J. and the late Philena Hill. Funeral services at her late residence, 319 West 48th St., Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

LACKAY.—On Wednesday, Jan. 24, at 2:50 P. M., Emy A. Lackay, beloved wife of Jos. H. Lackay and dear mother of Sadie M. and William H. Lackay, in her 60th year. Funeral from family residence, 3,877 Utah Place, St. Louis, Mo., Friday, Jan. 26th, at 1:30 P. M. Interment private.

LADD.—At Haddonfield, N. J., Jan. 18, 1912, Theodore Ladd, aged 85, a veteran of the civil war and Twenty-second Regiment, N. Y. V. Buried at Laurel Hill, Philadelphia, Jan. 20.

LAPAIX.—Bessie, after lingering illness, on Jan. 23, 1912, in her 67th year. Funeral services at her late residence, 25 West 30th St., Thursday, at 2 P. M. Interment Greenwood.

MANHEIMER.—Tuesday, Jan. 23, Joseph, dearly beloved husband of Carrie Metzler, father of De Witt J. and Robert J. Manheimer, and brother of Simon Manheimer, in his 49th year. Funeral, Thursday, 11 o'clock, from Temple Beth-El, 5th Av. and 76th St. Kindly omit flowers.

MANHEIMER.—Members of Temple Israel, Far Rockaway, are respectfully requested to attend funeral of our late member, Joseph Manheimer, Thursday, Jan. 25, Temple Beth-El, 5th Av. and 76th St.

JOSEPH FRIED, President.

PAGE.—On Monday, Jan. 22, at Los Angeles, Cal., in his 25th year, Rutherford Page, son of the late William Drummond Page.

SHERMAN.—At his residence, 838 5th Av., New York, on Monday, Jan. 22, William Watts Sherman. Funeral services at St. James's Church, Madison Av. and 71st St., New York, on Thursday, Jan. 25, at 3:45 P. M. Interment at Newport, R. I., on Friday, at convenience of family.

SHERMAN.—Saint Nicholas Society of the City of New York.—Office of the Secretary, 1,328 Broadway, New York.—The members of the society are requested to attend the funeral services of their late fellow-member, William Watts Sherman, at St. James Church, Madison Av. and 71st St., on Thursday, Jan. 25, 1912, at 3:45 P. M.

JOHN THOMAS LOCKMAN, President.
CLARENCE STORM, Secretary.

SHERMAN.—Society of Colonial Wars, in the State of New York, Office of the Secretary, Room 62, 45 William St., New York.—The members of this society are requested to attend the funeral services of their late fellow-member, William Watts Sherman, Esq., at St. James's Church, Madison Av. and 71st St., New York City, on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 25, 1912, at 3:45 o'clock.

WILLIAM CARY SANGER, Governor.
FREDERICK DWIGHT, Secretary.

STEUART.—On Jan. 22, 1912, Arthur Steuart of Baltimore. Funeral from his late residence, at Roland Park, Baltimore, Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

STORY.—Suddenly, on Wednesday, Jan. 24, 1912, at her residence, 39 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, Alice Huntington, daughter of Margaret J. and the late Zachariah Story. Notice of funeral later.

THAIN.—Wednesday evening, Jan. 24, 1912, at her late residence, 16 East 83d St., Mary Thomson, wife of Alexander Thain and daughter of the late Samuel Thomson and Catharine Haughont Thomson. Notice of funeral hereafter.

VREELAND.—On Tuesday, Jan. 23, 1912, Elias A. Vreeland, in his 68th year. Funeral services at his late residence, 158 11th St., Long Island City, on Friday, Jan. 26, at 11 A. M. Interment private.

WARD.—At West Point, N. Y., Tuesday, Jan. 23, 1912, Margaret A., wife of William Ward. Funeral Thursday at 2 P. M.

WATERS.—On Jan. 24, Mary T., beloved mother of John, Margaret, Mary, and George Waters. Funeral from her late residence, 86 2d Av., on Saturday, Jan. 27, 1912, at 9:30 o'clock. Solemn requiem mass will be said for repose of her soul at Nativity Church. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

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WATSON.—At Savannah, Ga., on Jan. 23, Jean M., widow of the late William Watson. Funeral service on Friday, Jan. 26, at the West Park Presbyterian Church, 86th St. and Amsterdam Av., at 10 A. M.

WATTS.—On Jan. 23, Isabelle Gertrude Chapman, widow of David Watts. Funeral at her late residence, 125 East 57th St. Thursday, at 11 A. M. Interment private.

WILDS.—On Jan. 24, at 50 South Oxford St., Brooklyn, Isabella, wife of the late Albert T. Wilds. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WILLETS.—At Homewood, Roslyn, L. I., on fourth day, the 24th of first month, Thos. W. Willets, in the 69th year of his age. Funeral private.

BURNET.—Henry, Jan. 23. Funeral 2,026 Madison Av., to-day, 10 A. M.

BURNS.—Owen, Jan. 23, aged 62. Funeral 245 East 90th St.

BUSHMAN.—Ernst, Stapleton, S. I., Jan. 22, aged 59. Funeral private.

CAHILL.—Edward J., 1,531 Vyse Av., Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

CARBERRY.—William, 104 East 124th St., Jan. 23.

CASHRIEL.—Bertha, 126 East 118th St., Jan. 23.

CONLON.—Madeline, 429 West 24th St., Jan. 23, aged 56.

COURTOT.—Julie, 183 West 97th St., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 1 P. M.

CRAMER.—Adele, Stapleton, Jan. 22, aged 67. Funeral to-day.

CRONIN.—Elizabeth, 1,049 Park Av., Jan. 22. Funeral to-morrow.

DECKER.—Charles, Jan. 22. Funeral 123 East 18th St., to-day, 2 P. M.

DELEVAN.—Edward T., 2,201 2d Av., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 1 P. M.

DILLON.—Margaret F., 15 East 167th St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

HANNIGAN.—Minnie V., Astoria, Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

HARREN.—Francis, 230 West 18th St., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

JENNINGS.—Ephraim M., 215 West 110th St., Jan. 22.

KEANE.—Nora, 436 Cherry St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

KIERNAN.—James W., Jan. 23, aged 36. Funeral 1,351 2d Av.

KILLIAN.—George, 4,025 Barnes Av., Bronx, Jan. 22, aged 73. Funeral private.

KOPELMAN.—Herman, 137 West 120th St., Jan. 23, aged 27. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

LALLY.—Catherine, 110 West 96th St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 9:30 A. M.

LEARY.—Della, 202 West 98th St., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 1 P. M.

LYNCH.—Michael, Jan. 23. Funeral 504 East 14th St., 9:30 A. M.

McCRYSTAL.—Harry, 559 Greenwich St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

McGLYNN.—John J., 376 Ford St., Fordham, Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

MURPHY.—William, 42 Beach St., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

O'CONNELL.—Richard W., 1,077 Hall Place, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow.

PICKETT.—John J., 460 West 29th St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 9:15 A. M.

PRICE.—Thomas, 454 West 151st St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 10 A. M.

PRIOR.—Helene E., 207 East 83d St., Jan. 23, aged 72. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

SULLIVAN.—Annie, 116 East 89th St., Jan. 23.

SZOYKA.—Samuel, 503 West 125th St., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

TICE.—Benjamin W., 502 West 142d St., Jan. 22, aged 60.

WITTHOFF.—Franz, 3,009 3d Av., Jan. 23, aged 74. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

YOUNG.—Edward, 184 Franklin St., Jan. 22, aged 27.

Brooklyn.

ATWELL.—Randell E., 589 Decatur St., Jan. 23, aged 86.

BARNICLE.—Michael, 1,558 55th St., Jan. 24. Funeral notice later.

BAUER.—Mary, 424 Bay Ridge Av., Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 2:30 P. M.

BUXTON.—Sarah A., 66 Stockholm St., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

BYRNES.—John, 521 Hicks St., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

CAMPBELL.—William, 504 Clinton Av., Jan. 24, aged 69.

CARPENTER.—Frances R., 217 Macon St., Jan. 23, aged 75. Funeral to-day.

CLARKE.—Matthew, 137 Nevins St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

COOK.—Diedrich, 71 Van Sicklen Av., Jan. 24, aged 56.

FORAN.—Elizabeth, 714 Washington Av., Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 9:30 A. M.

GERHARD.—Maria, 125 Avenue J, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 1:30 P. M.

LAWLERS.—John, 5,710 6th Av., Jan. 23, aged 69. Funeral to-morrow.

LISK.—William, 943 East 95th St., Jan. 23, aged 64. Funeral service to-day.

McBURNEY.—Manderson, 341 Pulaski St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

McGINNIS.—James, 562 Clinton St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

MEYER.—Frederick, 505 Brooklyn Av., Jan. 23, aged 73. Funeral to-morrow, 1:15 P. M.

NEWMARK.—Natalie, 1,975A Bergen St., Jan. 22.

NIMMO.—Charles W., 135 Garfield Place, Jan. 22, aged 26.

OLSEN.—Howard T., 41 East 3d St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

PHILLIPS.—Ella J., 481 Westminster Road, Jan. 24.

RAWSON.—Thomas, 136 North Portland Av., Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

REHBOCK.—David, 56 Somers St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

RYAN.—Johanna, 711 Greenwood Av., Jan. 22.

SERRA.—Frederick, 158 Garfield Place, Jan. 24. Funeral Jan. 27, 2 P. M.

SHELLEY.—Patrick, 282 Jay St., Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow.

SMITS.—Theodore A., 469 Eldert's Lane, Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

SWEENEY.—Daniel, 73 Warren St., Jan. 23, aged 62. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

Connecticut.

BECKEL.—Lena, New Haven, Jan. 22, aged 66.

BOWERS.—Kenneth H., Bridgeport, Jan. 22, aged 3.

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BRYANT.—Bertha M., New Haven, Jan. 23, aged 36. Funeral to-morrow, 2:30 P. M.

CARNEY.—Henry, East Hartford, Jan. 24. Funeral notice later.

HAIGHT.—John B., Glenville, Jan. 22, aged 81. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

JAYNES.—Chauncey W., Hartford, Jan. 23, aged 82. Funeral to-day, private.

JOYCE.—Sylvinia A., Stepney, Jan. 23, aged 68. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

LAWRENCE.—Julia, Hartford, Jan. 22, aged 84. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

NELSON.—Helena C., Wethersfield, Jan. 23, aged 63. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

RITCHIE.—Mary D., Bridgeport, Jan. 23, aged 81.

SHERWOOD.—Caroline, Bridgeport, Jan. 23. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

SUTLIFF.—Sarah D., Hartford, Jan. 23, aged 69. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

Long Island.

BISHOP.—William D., Sea Cliff, Jan. 23, aged 54. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

DARLING.—George W., Port Jefferson, Jan. 22, aged 82.

RILEY.—Joseph, Flushing, Jan. 23, aged 2.

UHLIG.—Michael, Flushing, Jan. 22, aged 22.

WINSLOW.—Samuel, Baldwin, Jan. 22, aged 81.

New Jersey.

ABRAMS.—Carrie H., 289 Bergen Av., Jersey City, Jan. 24.

ALLEN.—Mary E., 267 Elm St., Newark, Jan. 24.

ALLISON.—Erasmus B., Burlington, Jan. 22, aged 77. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

BECK.—Louisa, 38 Hawkins St., Newark, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow.

BELL.—Mrs. John, Chatham, Jan. 22, aged 22.

BRESLIN.—Roseanna, Harrison, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow.

CANFIELD.—Margaret T., 271 Avenue C, Bayonne, Jan. 22, aged 48.

CLARKE.—Thomas D., 94 Walnut St., Newark, Jan. 22. Funeral to-day.

COURTER.—Lottie G., 167 Lincoln Av., Newark, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow.

GAGAN.—Patrick, 135 Catherine St., Elizabeth, Jan. 23, aged 65.

GOETSCHIUS.—John H., Paterson, Jan. 22, aged 82.

GRAY.—Mary E., East Orange, Jan. 23. Funeral service to-day.

HEBRING.—Mary, 373 Bank St., Newark, Jan. 24.

HESS.—John R., Phillipsburg, Jan. 22, aged 61.

HOAG.—Hester E., Sussex, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

KREIE.—Millie M., Cranford, Jan. 22, aged 20.

LANGWASSER.—Harold, 18 Jay St., Newark, Jan. 23, aged 17 months.

LEMOND.—James K., 210 South 11th St., Newark, Jan. 23, aged 49.

LUBBES.—Therese, Hanover, Jan. 22, aged 90.

MARKHAM.—Mary J., Lakewood, Jan. 22, aged 71.

MOORE.—Horace, Flemington, Jan. 23, aged 73.

MURRER.—Mary, 814 Newark Av., Jersey City, Jan. 23.

PEASE.—Henry A., Elizabeth, Jan. 23, aged 45.

RHOADS.—Helen E., East Orange, Jan. 24. Funeral private.

SCHMIDT.—Frida, 21 Wood St., Newark, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow.

SCRUTON.—William, 46 Gardner Av., Jersey City, Jan. 23. Funeral private.

SIMS.—Mary A., Jersey City, Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 8:30 A. M.

TAGGART.—Robert M., East Orange, Jan. 23, aged 65.

TERHUNE.—Ursula E., Hackensack, Jan. 22, aged 86.

TOTT.—Josephine, 129 New York Av., Jersey City, Jan. 22. Funeral to-day.

VOORHEES.—Harriet C., Springfield, Jan. 23, aged 80.

ZABRISKIE.—Casper T., Ridgewood, Jan. 22. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

New York State.

BARGUET.—Gertrude, New Rochelle, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 11 A. M.

DONLEYCOTT.—Joseph, Kingston, Jan. 22, aged 65.

HOGAN.—Mary C., Orr's Mills, Jan. 21, aged 39.

HOYLE.—Mary E., Newburg, Jan. 23. Funeral to-day.

KELLY.—Catherine, Schodak, Jan. 22.

MOCKLER.—Benjamin, Newburg, Jan. 23, aged 9 months. Funeral private.

NOLAN.—Daniel, Goshen, Jan. 23. Funeral to-morrow, 9:30 A. M.

NODINE.—Catherine, 137 Nepperhan Av., Yonkers, Jan. 23, aged 80.

SPOCK.—Sylvester L., Peekskill, Jan. 22, aged 64.

WILSON.—John, Newburg, Jan. 23. Funeral notice later.

In Memoriam.

FAUST.—In loving memory of Lotta Faust, died Jan. 25, 1910.

VOLKEL.—In loving memory of our dearly beloved son and brother, William A. Volkel, who died Jan. 25, 1911.

CLANCY.—Nicholas, mass St. Mary's Church, Jersey City, to-day, 9:30 A. M.

WHELAN.—Mary, mass Sacred Heart Church, Vailsburg, N. J., to-day, 7:30 A. M.

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COST TO REORGANIZE 3D AVE. $1,253,000

Receivership for Four Years Uses Up $483,000 and Lawyers and Others Get $770,000 in Fees.

UNDERWRITERS GET $346,000

Stockholders Paid Assessments, Underwriters Nothing—Special Master Justifies Expenses.

In the recent discussion of the actual and prospective cost of the reorganization of the Metropolitan street railway system it was said by some of those interested that they were considerably less than the expenses of reorganizing the Third Avenue system, most of the items of which had never been made known. Investigation of these matters by a TIMES reporter indicates that this opinion was erroneous, and that the Third Avenue expenses will be below the $1,500,000 which it is estimated the Metropolitan receivership and reorganization will cost.

Frederick W. Whitridge, receiver for the Third Avenue and now its President, in discussing the matter yesterday pointed out that a distinction should be made between the reorganization expenses proper and those of the receivership, which should be considered as operating expenses. With this restriction the reorganization expenses foot up $770,000.

Roughly the receivership and other expenses will be about $483,000, a total of $1,253,000.

The Reorganization Committee consists of James N. Wallace, President of the Central Trust Company, Chairman; Adrian Iselin, Edmund D. Randolph, Mortimer L. Schiff, James Timpson, and Harry Bronner. Each of these receives $12,500, with an extra allowance of $2,500 to the Chairman. The secretary, Franklin L. Babcock, receives $2,500. This makes the expense of the Committee itself $80,000. John M. Bowers, as counsel to the committee, receives $65,000. His illness made it necessary to associate other counsel with him, and William D. Guthrie was retained. His fee is $100,000. The Central Trust Company, trustee for the mortgage which was foreclosed, receives $50,000, and Mr. Bowers, as its counsel, receives $126,875, making his entire fees $191,875.

Nothing for Underwriters to Do.

The reorganization plan provided for an assessment of $45 on each share of stock, and to insure its payment a syndicate was formed to underwrite the assessment. This was organized by the Central Trust Company, which acted as syndicate manager, and included about fifty of the large stockholders. The amount underwritten was $7,200,000, on which the commission was 5 per cent., or $346,000. At that time the stock of the road was down around 3, and much doubt existed as to the payment of the assessment, but it found its way up to about 15. At that price it represented an interest that was worth protecting by paying the $45 assessment, and it was very generally paid. In fact, up to this time the syndicate has not had occasion to pay any of the assessments, and there are only a few remaining unpaid by the stockholders, although only half the amount of the assessment has so far been called for. The profits of this underwriting will be distributed among those participating, and the Central Trust will receive about $75,000 of the amount.

Coming down to the expenses of the receivership, Mr. Whitridge has received $75,000 a year for the first two years and $50,000 a year for the last two years. His work will not be concluded for several months, so that a proportionate increase in the total of $250,000 is to be expected. Evarts, Choate & Sherman are counsel for the receiver. They have not drawn a stipulated sum a year, but have been paid at various times for services to date. At their office yesterday no information could be obtained as to the aggregate amount paid to them up to this time.

Mr. Whitridge, when asked about it, did not have the figures at hand, but said that the legal expense, including Evarts, Choate & Sherman, Mr. Guthrie's $100,000 fee, a fee to Joseph P. Cotton, Jr., of $11,000, and one to Masten & Nichols, counsel for the receivers of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, of $2,000, would amount to a little more than $200,000, so that the fee of Evarts, Choate & Sherman would be in the neighborhood of $100,000. The fee to Mr. Cotton was for his services in settling the dispute over the franchise tax and that to Masten & Nichols for services partly in behalf of the Metropolitan and partly in behalf of the Third Avenue.

Total Seems to be $1,253,000.

The receivership expenses, therefore, are about $463,000, which added to the $770,000 reorganization expenses makes the amount $1,233,000. To this may be added $20,000 paid to Howard Taylor as special master, making $1,253,000 as against the Metropolitan's estimated $1,500,000, covering the same items.

Mr. Whitridge said that he regarded the expenses as low, considering that the proceedings had extended over more than four years, during most of which time there was litigation between the Third Avenue and the Metropolitan. Half of the $200,000 legal expense, he said, would have been unnecessary had it not been for the course of the Public Service Commission. When the Commission rejected the first plan, it was decided to test its power over the issue of securities in reorganizations, which the Courts finally decided it did not possess. For this litigation Mr. Guthrie was engaged, his fee amounting to $100,000. Mr. Bower's fee, said Mr. Whitridge, included the services of Messrs. Davison and Coler, of his firm. In all ten suits were handled by these several counsel.

Concerning Mr. Whitridge's own compensation, Special Master Taylor, in his opinion filed with the allowance, said:

"The claim of the receiver to compensation at the rate of $75,000 per annum for the first two years of the receivership, and at the rate of $50,000 since then, is one to which not only have no objections been filed, but is one which the Bondholders' Committee and Purchasing Committee (identical parties) have given express assent to. I cannot conclude that, in the instance of an administrative officer such as this receiver, a Special Master ought to interfere in arrangements made between him and the parties whose money it is that is to pay him, any more than I would be called upon to interfere with such financial arrangements made between any other employe or official of this street railway enterprise and the interested parties. In other words, the owners of the road have settled this matter with the receiver, and the Special Master has no further duty than to see that the arrangement is not manifestly inequitable.

"I have already, in an opinion filed herein two months since, discussed the value of services rendered to this company by the complainant, by its counsel and by the receiver. Taking into further consideration the showing made by the receiver in his testimony, and holding to the views set forth in my former opinion, I certainly see no reason to consider these arrangements as to allowances inequitable. The receivership in question has not been a passive trust, but an active, aggressive, and even militant undertaking, which has certainly resulted in conspicuous success. The compensation arranged for by the receiver is large, but the merit of his services is equally large. I am of the opinion that the claim as made by the receiver and acquiesced in by the bondholders should be allowed."

The Big Fee to Lawyers.

Concerning the allowances of $50,000 to the Central Trust Company and $126,875 to its counsel, Bowers & Sands, Mr. Taylor said:

"The claims that have been presented might, I think, properly be allowed upon the mere ground that every one having any possible interest has been given notice of these proceedings, and that no objections to them have been filed except by the receivers of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, whose interests, however, in this action can in no wise be affected by the amount at which the claims may be allowed.

"A new and comparatively homogeneous system has been again created and the whole thereof augmented in many directions, and then turned into a good operating and comparatively paying property. It appears from the evidence that this result is due to the legal skill of this trust company's lawyers, to the business judgment shown by the trust company's officers, and to the executive capacity shown by the receiver suggested by the trust company and its counsel.

"It would seem almost too trite for observation to recall that counsel, who seek to extricate interests from an unfortunate situation that has befallen, should not be visited with responsibility for the situation they find and are employed to improve; and yet the failure to keep in mind this obvious distinction often induces the entirely illogical thought among laymen that a lawyer should be judged from the sins that have made rescue necessary. Again it should be borne in mind that if the machinery of corporate foreclosures is too cumbersome, and if a proceeding of this kind seems to many too long and to be accompanied with too many technical steps it still remains true that the lawyer has to adopt the machinery of administering justice that is provided. It is equally true that, with all the efforts that are being continuously made for the simplification of that machinery, the complications from modern business and commerce and the large number of diverse interests in a corporate enterprise of to-day make it impossible to adjust and reorganize those interests with fairness and equity to all concerned without much care, trouble, skill, and delay.

"In this instance, too, we are presented with the latest element that has entered the field of difficulties attending a modern corporate foreclosure, the Public Service Commission. Whether a Public Service Commission has any use at all is a matter with which the Special Master has no concern, and doubtless depends in each instance upon the personal equation of its members. But, assuredly its existence necessitates more work in accomplishing a foreclosure and reorganization than would otherwise be necessary."

The Special Master concluded by finding both allowances reasonable.

APPROVE METROPOLITAN PLAN.

Public Service Commission Authorizes New Company Issues.

Formal approval was given yesterday of the reorganization plan of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company by the Public Service Commission. In issuing the order the commission stated that it did so in conformity with the decision of the Court of Appeals in the Third Avenue Railroad case, which held that the commission could not withhold its consent to a reorganization plan, because the value of the mortgaged property and the new capital to be invested were less than the amount of securities to be issued, provided the new securities were not greater in value than the old.

The commission consequently authorized the New York Railways Company, which has taken the place of the old Metropolitan, to issue $17,500,000 par value of stock, $16,768,100 thirty-year refunding 4 per cent. gold bonds, and $31,933,400 thirty-year adjustment 5 per cent. income gold bonds. These securities are to be paid by the New York Railways Company to the joint committee, which purchased the property and franchises of the Metropolitan, in return for the property and franchises, and for the sum of $7,301,400.

The joint committee is to use $6,250,000 of the 4 per cent. bonds and $12,500,000 of the 5 per cent. bonds in retiring the 5 per cent. general and collateral trust bonds of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company; $4,151,000 of the 4 per cent. bonds and $12,453,000 of the 5 per cent. bonds to retire the 4 per cent. refunding mortgage bonds of the Metropolitan; $339,600 of the 4 per cent.. bonds and $1,595,400 of the 5 per cent. bonds for the collateral 5 per cent. notes of the Central Crosstown Railroad Company; $90,000 of the 4 per cent. bonds and $510,000 of the 5 per cent. bonds for the mortgage bonds of the Metropolitan Crosstown Railroad Company; $937,000 of the 4 per cent. bonds and $1,875,000 of the 5 per cent. bonds for the tort claimants; $4,997,780 of the 4 per cent. bonds, $2,999,800 of the 5 per cent. bonds and $17,495,000 of the new stock for the stockholders of the Metropolitan and the Central Crosstown companies and the holders of Metropolitan Improvement notes in return for the payment of the holders of an assessment of $12.90 per cent. The Joint Committee is to use $2,220 of the 4 per cent. bonds and $200 of the 5 per cent. bonds and $4,940 of the stock for the adjustment of fractional lots.

SAFETY BOARDS GET RESULTS

Employers' Liability Laws Making Accidents Fewer, Says Expert.

Many employers of labor look upon the passage of every new law for the compensation of injured workmen with lively apprehension. Just how many accidents can be prevented by organization and co-operation and care is shown by The American Engineer, in its current issue, in which it reports the remarks of R. C. Richards, General Claim Agent and Chairman of the Central Safety Committee of the Chicago & North Western, who describes the organization and operation of the Safety Committee system, as worked out on the North Western during the last year. He said in part:

> There are now about 500 officers and men serving on these safety committees, and if Benjamin Franklin's old saying that the eyes of the master can do more work than both of his hands is true, surely 500 pairs of eyes trained to look for defective conditions and practices can do more work than the eyes of one person, and from the results that have been attained for the last eleven months, (during which time the earnings of the company decreased less than 2 per cent.,) this effort to bring about greater safety shows a wonderful improvement, we also show the following reductions in our accident record:
>
> 47 per cent. in trainmen killed.
> 40.8 per cent. in trainmen injured.
> 80.7 per cent. in switchmen killed.
> 18.5 per cent. in switchmen injured.
> 50 per cent. in stationmen killed.
> 10.5 per cent. in stationmen injured.
> 82 per cent. in trackmen injured.
> 84 per cent. in bridgemen killed.
> 11.4 per cent. in shop and roundhouse men injured.
> 85 per cent. in car repairers and inspectors killed.
> 70 per cent. in passengers killed.
> 10 per cent. in passengers injured.
> Total reduction of 17 employes killed.
> Total reduction of 2,144 employes injured.

The same safety organization as that adopted by the North Western has since been put into effect on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern, the Baltimore & Ohio, and the Frisco system.

Philadelphia Gas-Electric Merger?

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—There was an unconfirmed, but probably true, rumor in financial circles here to-day that the United Gas Improvement Company and the Philadelphia Electric Company had practically been consolidated by a working agreement. Representatives of the corporations have been negotiating for such an agreement for the last ten years.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Following is the forecast for Thursday and Friday as issued by the United States Weather Bureau for the cotton and grain States:

North Carolina—Fair and somewhat colder Thursday. Friday, fair; light, variable winds.

South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida—Fair Thursday and Friday; light, variable winds.

Alabama, Mississippi, and Louisiana—Generally fair Thursday and Friday; light, variable winds.

Eastern Texas—Fair Thursday and Friday; light east to south winds on the coast.

Western Texas—Fair Thursday and Friday.

Utah—Cloudy Thursday, rain by night and on Friday, probably colder Friday.

Oklahoma—Fair Thursday and Friday without decided temperature changes.

Arkansas—Fair Thursday and Friday.

Tennessee—Fair Thursday; slightly colder in eastern portion; Friday fair.

Kentucky, Indiana, and Illinois—Fair Thursday; Friday fair, slightly warmer.

Ohio—Generally fair Thursday and Friday, slightly warmer; Friday light to moderate northwest to north winds.

Lower Michigan—Generally fair Thursday and Friday, slightly warmer Friday, light north to northeast winds.

Upper Michigan—Generally fair Thursday and Friday, slowly rising temperature.

Wisconsin—Generally fair Thursday and Friday; slowly rising temperature; variable winds.

Minnesota—Generally fair Thursday and Friday; somewhat warmer.

Iowa—Fair Thursday. Friday fair; warmer in eastern portion.

Missouri—Generally fair Thursday and Friday.

North Dakota—Fair Thursday; warmer in eastern portion; snow Friday or Friday night.

South Dakota—Fair Thursday; warmer in eastern portion; snow or rain Friday or Friday night.

Nebraska—Fair Thursday; warmer in eastern and southern portions. Friday increasing cloudiness.

Kansas—Fair Thursday; warmer in northern and western portions. Friday fair.

COTTON BUREAU NOT TO BE GIVEN UP

English Bankers Will Continue to Use It for Registering Bills of Lading.

ITS USEFULNESS PROVED

But the Plan Is Still in the Experimental Stage and Subject to Change, Says Banker Kent.

A published report that the central bureau in this city for the registration of cotton bills of lading had proved to be a failure and that it would shortly be given up by the Liverpool cotton interests which have been providing for its financial support was credited by some of the larger foreign exchange bankers yesterday, but provoked a spirited denial from the men responsible for the original establishment of the bureau.

H. Kern, who is Chairman of the Liverpool Cotton Bills of Lading Conference Committee, and James H. Simpson, who is Secretary of the European Bankers' Conference Committee, although he is not here in his official capacity, returned from Memphis yesterday morning. With Charles S. Haight, a lawyer who has been instrumental in carrying out the Liverpool committee's plans, they called on Fred I. Kent, a Vice President of the Bankers Trust Company and a member of the subcommittee of the American Bankers' Association which was appointed to devise a method of safeguarding foreign buyers of American bills, and the four went over to the Railroad Club for lunch. Messrs. Kern and Simpson were not at all abashed by the combined opposition of the Southern shippers, which they were reported to have encountered on the Memphis visit. Mr. Haight declined to offer any oral comment on the probable fate of the bureau, but intimated that he might have a written statement to give out later.

Mr. Kent said that he regretted the newspaper treatment which the Central Bureau had received. As for the report that it had demonstrated its uselessness and would shortly be closed up, there was nothing in it. He said that Messrs. Kern and Simpson had been favorably impressed by their reception in this country and by the work which they found the bureau doing.

"Of course, to a certain extent, the plan adopted was an experiment," said Mr. Kent. "As such it was subject to revision to meet the needs of the service. One man would want the thing done in one way, and another would want it done differently. For that reason, the bureau has been subject to change. But it has proved its usefulness, and there is no doubt of its continuance."

Mr. Kern is to sail for Europe on Saturday, and will report to the Liverpool committee that the bureau is fulfilling its mission as a safeguard for foreign buyers. Mr. Simpson is to remain some time longer to look after personal matters.

There is a strange contrast in the views of the Bill of Lading Bureau taken by different bankers. The head of the foreign exchange department of one of the largest banks handling cotton bills said that his institution was willing to send all bills to the bureau to be compared and certified wherever a notification that this was desired accompanied the draft, but that only one shipper was sending these notifications. His institution consequently was making almost no use of the protective machinery maintained by the Liverpool buyers. Another banker, who has been opposed to the Liverpool idea, but who agreed to make use of the agency when requested, said that less than 15 per cent. of the bills passing through his hands went to the bureau. Both of these men predicted a short life for the scheme as now being worked, and were of the opinion that as a substitute for the bureau a credit agency would eventually be established in Liverpool.

HILL SEES CLOUDS,

All Clear Save in One Quarter—Which Quarter He Won't Say.

James J. Hill, who reached New York Monday, appeared at the offices of the Great Northern Railway yesterday in an uncommunicative mood. He denied all the theories which have been built up in the past few days connecting up Denver and Rio Grande, and its Western Pacific extension to San Francisco, with the Burlington, Rock Island and Northwestern. Likewise, he characterized as "poppycock and balderish" a revival of the old story that the Great Northern is shortly to take over the Northern Pacific's half interest in the Burlington. As for the Rio Grande tale, Mr. Hill let it be inferred that he held no very high opinion of the mentality of the man who originated it.

"What will you say of the business outlook?" Mr. Hill was asked.

"Not a thing," Mr. Hill said, as he pushed his way past into his office. "Why should I? It has not changed. There are no clouds—except in one quarter." He refused to say what quarter.

Incorporate Crane Airship Company.

ALBANY, Jan. 24.—"Louis L. Crane's Airship Transportation Company, Inc.," of Brooklyn, was incorporated to-day to engage in the business of carrying passengers in air navigating machines. The capital is $100,000, and the Directors are Louis L. Crane, C. Crane, and John F. Callaghan of Brooklyn.

STOCK EXCHANGE LISTINGS.

At yesterday's meeting of the Governing Committee of the Stock Exchange these securities were admitted to listing:

Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company $6,000,000 first mortgage Chicago terminal 4 per cent. thirty-year sinking fund bonds, due 1941.

American Tobacco Company $40,242,400 common stock.

St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Company $3,122,000 general lien fifteen-twenty-year 5 per cent. bonds, due 1927, making the total listed to date $44,745,000.

American Snuff Company $4,000,000 new preferred stock to be admitted on notice of delivery.

Detroit Edison Company $1,500,000 capital stock on notice of issuance and payment in full, making the total authorized to be listed $7,500,000.

Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis Railway Company $266,000 4 per cent. guaranteed refunding mortgage bonds, due 1936, making the total listed to date $25,835,000.

Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Company $1,250,000 preferred stock to be added on notice of issuance in accordance with the terms of an offer of sale of $2,500,000 of bonds of the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Company; $667,500 additional to be added on notice of issuance in exchange for preferred stock of the Iowa Central Railway Company, and $9,370,200 common stock to be added on notice of issuance in exchange for preferred and common stocks of the Iowa Central Railway Company.

G. W. Helme Company, $4,000,000 common and $4,000,000 preferred stock.

Weyman-Bruton Company, $4,000,000 common and $4,000,000 preferred stock.

METAL MARKETS REPORT.

On the Metal Exchange yesterday a decidedly firmer tone was shown. Copper was up ⅛c in both the bid and asked prices. Tin was strong at an improvement of 1¼c. Lead and spelter were unchanged.

The closing bid and asked prices follow:

Standard Copper.	Wednesday. Bid.	Wednesday. Asked.	Tuesday. Bid.	Tuesday. Asked.
Spot	13.90	14.12½	13.70	14.00
January	13.90	14.12½	13.70	14.00
February	13.95	14.02½	13.75	14.00
March	13.92½	14.12½	13.75	14.00
Lead	4.40	4.50	4.40	4.50
Spelter	6.45	6.55	6.45	6.55
Tin	43.00	43.50	41.75	42.25

On the London Metal Exchange yesterday the following table of prices obtained for spot and future deliveries of copper and pig tin. These last prices compare with Tuesday's closing figures:

	Wednesday. £ s d	Tuesday. £ s d
Copper, spot	62 8 9	62 7 6
Copper futures	62 3 0	63 2 6
Pig tin, spot	192 0 0	189 5 0
Pig tin, futures	190 10 0	188 0 0

The market finished strong. Spanish pig lead was down 1s 3d, to £15 18s 9d. Spelter declined 5s, to £26 10s. Cleveland warrants were a shade higher, at 49s.

BAER TO BE CHAIRMAN.

Reading and Jersey Central President to Follow Judge Lovett's Example.

It was rumored yesterday that George F. Baer, President of the Reading Company and its controlled road, the Central of New Jersey, is shortly to resign as President to become Chairman of the boards of those companies. In doing this Mr. Baer would be following the example set by Judge Lovett of the Harriman roads, E. T. Jeffery of the Denver & Rio Grande, James J. Hill of the Great Northern, and numerous others.

A close friend of Mr. Baer's said last night that he expected this action some time, but did not know that the time for his resignation had been fixed upon. He said that Mr. Baer had no intention of retiring, or even of escaping from any large share of work, but that he might decide that it was time that operating matters be taken over by others.

George Frederick Baer will be 70 years old April 12, and has been connected with the Reading since 1871, his first position being that of counsel for the road. Twenty years later, in 1891, after long service on the Directorate, he was elected President. He gained Nation-wide prominence in the coal strike of 1903 as the leader of the coal roads in the contest, and it was then that he earned the nickname which has followed him of "Divine Right" Baer, for his testimony at one of the Strike Commission hearings that he believed that the Pennsylvania coal lands had been intrusted to their owners by divine right.

Before he began his law career he had been a printer's apprentice, a clerk, a bookkeeper in a small mill, and an editor. He has a notable war record. He entered the Union Army as Captain of Company E of the 133d Pennsylvania Volunteers at 19, and was a Major before his twentieth birthday. He fought at Antietam, Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville, and in minor engagements, and was discharged with the rank of Adjutant General. He studied law after the war, and was admitted to the bar at twenty-two.

THE OUTSIDE SECURITIES.

Trading in Fair Volume, with Irregular Price Movements.

Curb trading was fairly active yesterday. There was some weakness among the coppers. Greene-Cananea declined from 9 to 8½ and closed at 8⅝. Braden and Butte Coalition each lost ⅛ and Ray Central 1-16. Inspiration rose from the opening at 10½ to 10⅞ and closed at 10⅝. Giroux closed ⅛ above the opening. The bond list was active and Chicago Elevated 5s reported transactions of $280,000 between 98½ and 99.

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Transactions reported yesterday in the outside market, with opening, high, low, and last prices, were as follows:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
27	Am. Coal Prod. pf., w. i.	107	107	107	107
822	Am. Tob., ex subsidiaries	250	†252	249	250
145	Bay State Gas	½	½	½	½
2,100	Brit. Am. Tob.	16⅞	17	16⅞	17
2	Conley Foil Co.	255	255	247	247
800	N. W. Woolworth	80	80	79⅞	80
3	G. W. Helme	147	147	147	147
800	Int. Rub. Tr.cts.	17⅛	17½	17⅛	17½
33	J. S. Youngs	175	175	170	170
12	Johnson Tin Foil	130	135	130	135
529	Lehigh Val. Coal Sales Co., w. i.	195	197	194	195½
5	McAndrews & F.	175	175	175	175
1	Porto Rican-Am. Tobacco	225	225	225	225
34	R. J. Reynolds	188	188	186	186
477	M. Rumely Co.	99½	100½	99½	100⅛
55	Studeb'r Co. pf.	104	104	104	104
327	Un. Cigar Stores	194	†195	191	191
100	Weyman & Brut.	172	172	172	172

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,000	*Beaver Con.	42	42	42	42
2,700	Braden Copper	5⅝	5⅝	5½	5½
100	Brit. Col. Copper	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
700	Butte Coalition	22½	22½	22⅜	22⅜
4,000	*C. O. D. Con.	14	15	14	15
2,500	Con. Ari. Smelt.	½	9-16	½	9-16
600	Crown Reserve	3	3	3	3
1,000	Diam'd Field D.	12	12	12	12
1,100	Giroux Mining	4½	4⅝	4½	4⅝
800	Gold Hill	¼	5-16	¼	5-16
1,900	Greene-Cananea	9	9	8½	8⅝
5,400	Inspir. Copper	10½	10⅞	10½	10⅝
300	La Rose Con.	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
1,100	McKinley-D	1⅝	1⅝	1 11-16	1 11-16
400	Nevada Hills	2¼	2 5-16	2¼	2¼
1,885	N.-U. M. & S.	1-16	⅛	1-16	⅛
770	Nip. Mines Co.	6⅝	6⅞	6⅝	6⅝
200	Ohio Copper	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
900	Pac. Smelters	⅝	⅝	5-16	5-16
200	Porc. Central	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
500	Porc. Northern	1	1	1	1
8,000	Ray Central	1 13-16	1 13-16	1¾	1¾
4,900	*Stewart	1.00	1.00	.98	.98
600	Ton. Mining	7⅜	7⅜	7 3-16	7¼
1,000	Tono. Ext.	1 15-32	1 15-32	1 15-32	1 15-32
700	Tuol. Copper	3⅝	3 11-16	3 9-16	3 11-16
900	*Wett. Silver M.	83	83	82	82
200	Yukon G. Mines	3⅜	3 7-16	3⅜	3 7-16

BONDS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
$280,000	Chi. Elev. 5s.	98½	99	98½	98⅞
55,000	Con. R. T. 4s.	51	52	51	52
55,000	Int. Harv. 5% notes	101	101	100⅞	100⅞
5,000	Inspira'n Con. conv. 6s	109½	110	109½	110
25,000	Mo., Kan. & Texas 5% nts.	99 15-16	99 15-16	99 15-16	99 15-16
45,000	Mont. T. 5.s.	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
18,000	N. Y. C. 4¼s.	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
75,000	N. Y., West. & Bos. 4½s.	98⅞	99	98⅞	99
25,000	Norf. & West. conv. 4s	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
6,000	Ray Con. 6s.	111	111	111	111
5,000	So. Bell Tel. & Tel. 5s.	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛

*Sells cents per share. †Odd lots.

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	Jan. 24. Bid.	Jan. 24. Asked.	Jan. 23. Bid.	Jan. 23. Asked.
A., G. & W. I.	7	8	7	8
A., G. & W. I. pf.	16	17	16	17
Am. Light & Traction	285	290	285	290
Am. Light & Trac. pf.	105	107	105	107
Am. Writing Paper	1½	2	1½	2
Borden's Cond. Milk	130	130½	130	130½
Borden's Cond. Milk pf.	109	110	109	110
Braden Copper	5½	5⅝	5⅝	5¾
British Col. Copper	4⅛	4½	4⅛	4½
Butte Coalition	22⅜	22⅝	22½	22⅞
Con. Rubber Tire	6⅛	7	6⅛	6⅞
Con. Rubber Tire pf.	38½	41	38½	40
Davis-Daly Copper	⅝	¾	⅝	⅞
F. W. Woolworth	79⅝	80⅛	80	80½
F. W. Woolworth pf.	109	109½	109	109½
First Nat. Copper	2⅝	3	2⅝	3
Giroux Mining	4 9-16	4 11-16	4 9-16	4 11-16
Greene-Cananea	8⅝	8¾	8⅞	9
Guggenheim Explor.	180	190	180	190
Int. Rubber ctfs.	17	18	16½	17½
J. Kayser	63½	64½	63½	64½
J. Kayser pf.	104	104½	104	104½
Kerr Lake	2⅝	2¾	2⅝	2⅞
Lehigh V. S. Co., w. i.	195	196	194	195
M. Rumley Co., w. i.	100	100½	98⅞	99
Mason Valley	11⅝	11⅞	11⅝	11⅞
Mason Valley 6s	125	126	125	126
Nipissing	6⅝	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞
Ray Central	1 11-16	1 13-16	1¾	1⅞
Studebaker Co.	56	58	56	58
Studebaker Co. pf.	102¼	104	102¼	104
Tonopah Mining	7⅛	7¼	7⅛	7⅜
United Cigars Mfrs.	52	55	52½	54
U. S. Cigar Stores	190	191	193	194
U. S. L. & H., new	16	16	16	16
U. S. L. & H., new, pf.	80	84	80	84
Western Pacific 5s	91	92	91	92
Yukon Gold Mine	3⅜	3 7-16	3⅜	3 7-16

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STANDARD OIL ISSUES.

Capital.	Company.	Bid.	Asked.
$5,000,000	Anglo-American Oil	$7	$8
5,000,000	Atlantic Refining	250	300
200,000	Borne-Scrymser	110	160
10,000,000	Buckeye Pipe Line	60	80
500,000	Chesebrough Mfg.	650	750
250,000	Colonial Oil	..	200
300,000	Continental Oil	550	650
3,000,000	Crescent Pipe Line	25	50
1,000,000	Cumberland Pipe Line	45	95
5,000,000	Eureka Pipe Line	120	150
8,000,000	Galena Signal Oil	210	230
2,000,000	Galena Signal Oil pf.	120	135
10,000,000	Indiana Pipe Line	50	100
12,727,575	National Transit	20	30
5,000,000	N. Y. Transit	120	160
4,000,000	Northern Pipe Line	75	100
10,000,000	Ohio Oil	75	90
10,000,000	Prairie Oil & Gas	205	235
500,000	Solar Refining	325	425
10,000,000	Southern Pipe Line	125	155
2,500,000	South Penn. Oil	400	475
3,500,000	S. W. Penn. Pipe Line	100	125
17,000,000	Standard Oil, (Cal.)	140	155
1,000,000	Standard Oil, (Ind.)	3,500	3,900
1,000,000	Standard Oil, (Kan.)	110	160
1,000,000	Standard Oil, (Ky.)	150	180
600,000	Standard Oil, (Neb.)	125	175
98,383,000	Standard Oil, (N. J.)	360	370
———	Standard Oil subsid.	322	332
15,000,000	Standard Oil, (N. Y.)	265	285
3,500,000	Standard Oil, (Ohio)	140	180
100,000	Swan & Finch	500	700
12,000,000	Union Tank Line	40	60
2,500,000	Vacuum Oil	305	405
110,000	Washington Oil	8	16
400,000	Waters-Pierce	800	1,000

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AMERICAN TOBACCO ISSUES.

	Jan. 24. Bid.	Jan. 24. Asked.	Jan. 23. Bid.	Jan. 23. Asked.
Am. Snuff, new	117	122	117	120
Am. Snuff, pf.	107	109	106	109
Am. Tob., ex subsid.	248	250	248	250
British-American	16⅝	17	16⅝	17
Conley Foil	245	260	245	260
G. W. Helme	145		152	145
G. W. Helme, pf.	106	..	106	..
Johnson Tinfoil & Met.	130	140	125	135
J. S. Young	175	180	170	180
MacAndrews & Forbes	170	180	170	180
Porto Rico-American	220	240	220	240
R. J. Reynolds	187	189	188	190
United Cigar Stores	194	195	194	195
Weyman-Brutton	170	180	165	170
Weyman-Brutton, pf.	107	..	106	..

DEFEND OTHER CITIES IN FREIGHT INQUIRY

Philadelphia Witnesses Say New York Trade Grows Despite Differential.

ADMIT TRAFFIC IS DIVERTED

De Witt L. Irwin Txplains Why Ocean Rate from Philadelphia Is Higher Than from New York.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Witnesses for Philadelphia in the differential fight before the Inter-State Commerce Commission testified to-day that New York has steadily gained in import and export business in spite of the inland freight differential in favor of Philadelphia and Baltimore.

The New York complainants concluded their case with the testimony of John H. Crawford, Freight Traffic Manager for the Delaware & Lackawanna, and C. R. Lewis, Freight Agent for the Big Four. They showed by further letters from agents at different points that shipments which theretofore had gone to New York were being diverted to cities having a better freight rate on export shipments than New York.

Counsel for the Pennsylvania Railroad declared that while New York was losing some freight the general percentage was being maintained, and that other cities were getting their share by reason of the congestion at New York, and not through the effect of the differential.

De Witt L. Irwin of L. G. Graff & Sons, Philadelphia, told what had been done in Philadelphia since the differential had gone into effect.

"The differential is taken up by the ocean freight," said Mr. Irwin. "I do not think that the steamship companies should give the same rate from Philadelphia and Baltimore as from New York and Boston. The ocean rate from the first two cities should be necessarily higher because of the longer sail and the distance from the sea. It costs more to bring a ship to Philadelphia, 90 miles up the Delaware River, than it does to land a vessel in New York. Unless Philadelphia and Baltimore had the advantage of the differential there would be no ocean traffic to those cities at all."

E. P. Bates of the Pennsylvania Railroad said the difference in freight rates enjoyed by Baltimore and Philadelphia over New York was due to a physical disability, geographical location, and other matters. This differential, he said, was three cents for Baltimore and two cents for Philadelphia under the rate for New York, and it had been in existence as a principle in railroading for twenty-five years, although the percentage of differences has not been the same during all that period.

Mr. Bates said that the ports of Portland and Montreal had made great gains over the other ports involved in this dispute. He said the same relative gains had been maintained by New York in the shipments of flour over the other five ports.

Frank L. Neall presented figures for a period of fifty-two years. These showed, he said, that New York had in no sense lost the lead, and was keeping to the same percentage despite the differential.

For th period from 1860 to 1910, Mr. Neall said, the total exports and imports of this country were $80,614,332,000. New York in that period had a percentage of 51.5, while that of Philadelphia was 5.2 and Baltimore's 4.7, and Boston's 8.

In 1911 the export statement showed, according to Mr. Neall, that New York had a percentage of 77.1; Philadelphia, 7, and Baltimore, 8.9. In 1860 the percentage of the above ports was: New York, 73.4; Philadelphia, 5.7, and Baltimore, 9.2.

Mr. Neall went into the lighterage dispute. He brought up his fight against the Pennsylvania Railroad and charged that Philadelphia was discriminated against by reason of the railroad paying the charges in New York. He went into the history of the crushing out of the sugar business by the trust in Philadelphia, and said that this was due to the lighterage allowances made by the railroads to the sugar concerns in New York.

"Lighterage and other accessorial allowances accomplish rebates, impose handicaps, and nullify port differentials," declared Mr. Neall. He will continue his testimony to-morrow.

Report of the Home Life.

The Home Life Insurance Company, of which George E. Ide is President, shows in its fifty-second annual statement that assets have been increased during the year by $1,352,000 and are now $26,000,377. After the payment of death claims, matured endowments, &c., of $2,810,000, including dividends to policy holders of more than $484,000, and after adding more than $1,088,000 to the insurance reserve fund, the surplus is increased by $68,882, and is now $1,863,494 over and above the sum of $2,435,269 reserve liability for deferred dividends.

PIPE LINES UNDER SCRUTINY.

Inter-State Commission Moves Inquiry Here Into Discriminating Rates.

The Interstate Commerce Commission moved its inquiry into the business of the pipe lines of the country to New York yesterday, and a series of hearings began at the Custom House. Commissioner Franklin K. Lane is sitting. The inquiry was started on the commission's own initiative, and has been continued in Los Angeles, Houston, Tulsa, Okla., and other Western points. Sixty-two pipe lines, including the Standard Oil's former subsidiaries and a number of independent companies, are parties to the proceeding.

The commission charges the carriers with having established rates, classifications, and regulations which are unjust, unreasonable, discriminatory, unduly preferential and prejudicial, and otherwise in violation of the provisions of the Inter-State Commerce law.

The hearings here will be concerned chiefly with lines located east of the Mississippi. Most of these belong to the Standard Oil interests or to the Pure Oil Company.

The commission will make use of testimoney brought out in the Standard Oil dissolution suit. Commissioner Lane and August G. Guthein, counsel for the commission, questioned George Chesebro of 26 Broadway, Secretary of several pipe line companies, about the sale by the New York Transit Company and the National Transit Company in November, 1905, to the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey of the lines located in New Jersey and Maryland, and which are a continuation of the lines of the National Transit Company and the New York Transit Company, running to the refineries of Standard Oil subsidiaries at Brooklyn, Bayonne, N. J., and Baltimore, Md.

Mr. Chesebro's testimony as to who authorized the transfer of these lines was indefinite. Counsel for the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey was requested by Commissioner Lane to produce witnesses. Commissioner Lane grew somewhat wroth at the Secretary's lack of information.

"I don't want to deal with a clerk or with one of your $5,000-per-year-men," said the Commissioner. "I want testimony from some one who can speak with authority."

The hearings will continue during the remainder of the week.

$10,000,000 B. & O. ISSUE.

Ten-Year Car Trust Certificates Taken by Kuhn-Loeb and Speyer & Co.

The Directors of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad authorized yesterday the issue and sale of $10,000,000 4½ per cent. ten-year car trust certificates, and it was announced that Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and Speyer & Co. had taken the entire amount, each subscribing for $5,000,000.

The purpose of the issue is to reimburse the company's treasury in part for money expended from earnings on equipment and improvements during the past two years. About eighteen months ago the road sold $50,000,000 three-year notes, the proceeds of which went toward the physical improvement of the property. Much of this money has been expended, and heavy additional amounts have been used for the same purpose from current earnings.

Expenditures for the last six months of the current fiscal year, ending June 30 next, will continue on a liberal scale, it is stated.

The company ordered 8,000 new freight cars for 1912 delivery a few weeks ago. This additional rolling stock is not actually needed at the present time, but the management decided to take advantage of low prices and make provision for future needs. The order for 8,000 new cars, it was stated yesterday, could not now be duplicated by within $50 to $100 per car of the price obtained.

The company had no car certificates out until yesterday's issue was authorized, and it was said yesterday afternoon that the company was in no special need of funds, but the management had deemed it prudent to keep the treasury liberally supplied with funds because of the favorable terms obtainable.

BANK INQUIRY GOES ON.

Effort Made to Free Hill, Hotel Man, Who Wouldn't Testify.

Argument on the writ of habeas corpus obtained by Robert H. Elder, counsel for John Hill, proprietor of the Clarendon Hotel, Brooklyn, following Hill's arrest at the instigation of the State Banking Department for his refusal to testify at the closed Borough Bank hearing, was heard before Justice Stapleton in the Supreme Court yesterday. Mr. Elder contended that Hill's arrest was illegal.

Jeremiah T. Mahoney, special counsel for the Banking Department, opposed the motion made by Mr. Elder to discharge Hill from custody. Justice Stapleton reserved decision.

The Borough Bank hearing was continued yesterday before Deputy Supt. of Banks Edward J. Graham in Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Jay L. Dayhoff, a bookkeeper, formerly employed in the bank, testified that William Gow's account at the bank was overdrawn $72,254 three days before the bank closed. The witness also testified that a note for $25,000 signed by J. A. R. Studwell, President of the Inter-City Advertising Company, was used to bolster up the overdrawn account of Gow at the bank.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Claim Under Wrong Tariff Act Does Not Invalidate a Protest.

It was held yesterday by the Board of United States General Appraisers that a claim for lower duty under the wrong Tariff act does not invalidate the protest. The case calling forth this ruling was that of Wakem & McLaughlin, who imported muskrat and fox skins and squirrel tails to be used in the ornamentation of boas and capes. Although the merchandise was imported after the enactment of the act of 1909, the importers claimed lower duties under the act of 1897.

Judge McClelland, however, thinks that the language of the protest is sufficiently clear to indicate the specific classification desired by the protestants. Collector Loeb exacted duty at the rate of 35 per cent. ad valorem under the present law as skins advanced in value. The importers alleged a rate of 20 per cent. under the act of 1897 as "furs dressed, but not made up." The Board upholds the contention for the lower duty on the muskrat and fox skins, but affirms the Collector's assessment on the squirrel tails.

Adverse action was taken on a protest filed by D. Hirschberg & Brother, relating to the classification of brooches, hatpins, cross, scarf pins, and neckchains, set with imitation precious stones. Duty was assessed at 60 per cent. as "jewelry" under the act of 1897. The merchandise was claimed dutiable either at 20 per cent. as imitation precious stones, or at 45 per cent. as manufactures of glass or paste. Judge Sharretts affirms the Collector's return.

The board overruled these protests: Morris Goldberg, beaded articles; Pollak & Terker, and Albert Jaulus, furs; John Wanamaker, claim unsupported; F. F. G. Harper & Co., matches; Kwong On Co., and Kippon & Co., claims unsupported; R. F. Downing & Co., claim unsupported; the Jones Brothers Mercantile Company, gloves. Claims sustained included F. B. Vandegrift & Co., kippered herring; American Express Company, and Wilfred Schade & Co., olive oil in tins, and Morimura Brothers, baskets and shades.

CEMENT AGED, BUT GROWING.

Industry, Old as Rome, Shows Wonderful Development in Recent Years.

The announcement that a Cement Exhibition will be held in Madison Square Garden from Jan. 29 to Feb. 3, calls attention anew to the recent rapid growth of the industry, which is as old as the Roman Empire. The Cement World, in its last issue, says:

> The output of Portland cement in the United States has multiplied itself nearly ten times in as many years, a truly marvellous growth. The greatest single gain was in 1906, when the production increased over 11,000,000 barrels, and its valuation $17,000,000 over the preceding year. Within a period of five years, ending in 1908, the production was more than doubled, the increase in valuation being proportionate. The output during the last four years alone of this period exceeded by nearly 75,000,000 barrels the entire production credited to the thirty years preceding; and the valuation of the product for the same period was over $70,000,000 in excess of the value of the entire production from 1870 to 1904.

The future of cement, the article says, is immense, and the possible future developments of the industry as yet unguessed.

50,000,000 GALLONS OF WINE.

Of Our Total Vintage for 1911 California Yielded Four-fifths.

The wine production of the United States in 1911 is estimated by The American Wine Press, in its current issue, as follows:

	Gallons.
Southern States	800,000
New Jersey	250,000
New York	6,000,000
Ohio	3,000,000
Michigan	200,000
Missouri	750,000
California, dry wines	23,500,000
California, sweet wines	17,500,000
All other States	250,000
Total wine yield	51,750,000

New Savings Bank for Chicago.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—A new bank, to be known as the Franklin Trust and Savings Bank, is to be opened here the first Monday in April. The capital stock, all of which has been subscribed, is $200,000, and the surplus $50,000. The stock was sold at 130.

To Head Philadelphia Stock Exchange

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—Frederick T. Chandler, a member of the firm of Chandler Brothers & Co., was nominated to-day for the Presidency of the Philadephia Stock Exchange, and will be unopposed at the election, which takes place on March 4.

Cotton Mills Pass Dividends.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 24.—Three Arkwright mills and the Barnaby Manufacturing Company, makers of cotton goods, have passed their regular quarterly dividends. The Arkwright mills have passed the dividends for seven consecutive quarters and the Barnaby for two quarters.

Fifty-second Annual Statement of the
HOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
256 BROADWAY, NEW YORK
GEORGE E. IDE, President
JANUARY 1st, 1912

ASSETS

INVESTED IN BONDS.....$11,736,585.25
INVESTED IN LOANS ON BONDS AND MORTGAGES.....$7,166,090.00
(86% of which is Guaranteed as to Principal and Interest)
REAL ESTATE.....$1,550,000.00
LOANS TO POLICY-HOLDERS.....$3,772,564.17
OTHER SECURITIES.....$2,152,180.77

LIABILITIES

INSURANCE RESERVE FUND.....$21,302,375.00
RESERVE FOR DEFERRED DIVIDENDS.....$2,435,269.00
RESERVE FOR OTHER LIABILITIES.....$776,282.46
RESERVE FUND OR SURPLUS.....$1,863,493.73

INSURANCE RECORD

INSURANCE IN FORCE, DECEMBER 31st, 1911.....$105,047,760.00
GAIN IN INSURANCE IN FORCE.....$4,832,792.00
GAIN IN ASSETS.....$1,352,121.13
GAIN IN SURPLUS.....$68,881.60

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REACTION IN STEEL BUYING.

Last Month's Heavy Purchases Had to Slacken—Rail Orders Light.

A slackening in the buying of iron and steel this month is attributed by The Iron Age to reaction from the heavy buying of the last month of 1911, rather than to the introduction of the new tariff bill with its 50 per cent. average reduction in iron and steel duties. This trade authority says in reference to the proposed tariff reductions: "There is also belief that the bill will not become a law in its present form, and is to be considered as another of the political influences whose effect has been evident in the iron and steel trade for some months." Of general conditions in the trade, The Iron Age says:

Our Pittsburgh report indicates that, in addition to the slackening in new orders, a factor there is that specifications lately have not been up to expectations. February developments will give more light on the real bearings and significance of this condition, however, than is obtainable now.

The prolonged negotiations over the Pennsylvania Railroad's order for rails is due largely to the old question of discard from the top of the ingot, which reduces itself again to an issue of price. The note sounded by the Steel Corporation's President at Washington on the danger in the present high carbon demands of the railroads has directed attention sharply to a very important phase of the rail situation. Actual rail orders are light. In the past week the Erie's contract for 30,000 tons has come out, and the Lackawanna has informally placed 20,000 tons, of which 15,000 tons goes to Buffalo.

Vessel work is of interest in the lull in railroad buying. In Eastern markets 60,000 tons of plates and shapes are being figured on for pending vessel contracts, including the two battleships just awarded.

An advance of $1 a ton in wire products, announced by an independent Pittsburgh company, effective Jan. 22, has been followed by other producers. This brings wire nails to $1.60 and fence wire to $1.40. The chief effect will be to expedite specifications, as large contracts exist at $1.50 for wire nails and a smaller amount at $1.55.

The Iron Trade Review says:

Specifications have been satisfactory, although more liberal on some products than on others. Placing of new orders for finished materials is not very active. Principal rail orders of the week include 30,000 tons to the Erie and 23,000 tons to the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, the latter being divided 15,000 tons to the Lackawanna Steel Company, 6,000 tons to the Bethlehem Steel Company, and 2,000 tons to the Pennsylvania Steel Company. Some fair pig iron inquiries are noted, a Chicago buyer being out for 8,000 tons and the Westinghouse interest for an indefinite tonnage. In the Eastern market some round-lot sales of basic have been made, fixing the market for this grade at about $14.25, delivered.

COMMODITY MARKETS.

Wheat Leads All Markets in Upward March—Coffee in Suspense.

Wheat advanced sharply, with active covering of shorts, influenced by the strength of corn and reports of light reserves in the Northwest. Coarse grain showed latent strength, with country offerings easily absorbed and on evidence of a larger speculative demand. Provisions were higher with grain. Cotton was firm on the better tone to the foreign market, with improved trade conditions abroad and at New England. Hedge pressure from the South continues limited. Coffee was steadier on lighter offerings. Evening up prior to an announcement expected to-day from the Valorization Committee was noticeable.

WHEAT.

WHEAT.—The wheat market, after a morning of indifference, developed decided strength making a net gain for the day of 1 to 1½c., and closed with most of the advance held. The advance was partly due to strength in the corn and oats markets, but as the wheat market moved above $1.05 in New York, and $1.01 in Chicago, a good many shorts were uncovered and resting stop orders caused a rapid advance. For a number of days the market has been acting congested and the control of the bull party West was strong enough to force in the shorts. A report from the Northwest claiming only 19 per cent. of wheat in farmers' hands in the three States, or about 25,000,000 bushels, against 25 to 30 per cent. last year, or about 50,000,000 bushels, had some little influence; also another report stated that country elevators held only 8,000,000 or 9,000,000 bushels, a comparatively small total, and the country did not seem to be disposed to sell wheat. A rumored reduction in the Mexican duty caused some buying. The total interior receipts were slightly more than last week, but showed considerable falling off compared with last year. The reports included some complaints of damage to Winter wheat in the Central West. Cables were easier in tone, but there was a good demand for Manitoba wheat reported from the Northwest, although sales of only a few loads could be confirmed. The heaviness in the foreign markets was credited to improved weather conditions in the Argentine and prospects of a settlement of the strike. Cash wheat was firm and higher, with No. 2 red quoted at $1.08¾ free on board; No. 1 Northern Spring, $1.21½; No. 2 hard Winter, $1.12¼; No. 1 Manitoba, $1.15.

OTHER GRAINS.

CORN.—The market was strong and active, advancing over 1c. a bushel and closed at a gain of over 1c. The advance brought in a large amount of commission house buying, and there was a good deal of covering of shorts stimulated by the strength in other feed stuffs and the advance in cash corn through the West. Prices were quoted on cash from ¼c. to 1c. higher. Receipts of corn for the day were quite heavy, but claim was made that the movement would soon show a considerable falling off, while there was evidence of maintained export demand. Export sales were nearly 300,000 bushels, part old business. Cash corn was firm locally, with No. 3 quoted at 72½c., elevator export; steamer, 72c.; No. 2, 72½c., free on board.

OATS.—Trade in oats was of good volume, with prices strong, advancing to new high levels for the movement, induced in part by the strength in other grain, the moderate receipts of cash oats at the West and the strength in the cash oats market. Better demand for cash oats was reported and there was good commission house buying of futures. Locally the cash market was strong, with standards and No. 3 whites quoted at 56c.; No. 2 white, 56½c.

PROVISIONS.

Provisions were very firm, with a good speculative demand partly due to disappointment at the more moderate movement of hogs. Live hog receipts were 127,000 at all points and prices were 5c. to 15c. higher generally, which was quickly reflected in the future market.

NEW YORK FUTURE MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.06⅝	1.04⅝	1.06¼	1.04⅞
July	1.02	1.00⅝	1.01⅝	1.01
Lard—				
Cash	..	..	9.30@9.40	9.16
January	..	..	9.30@9.40	9.16
March	..	..	9.35@9.55	9.20
May	..	..	9.64@9.69	9.40

CHICAGO FUTURE MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.02⅛	1.00⅝	1.01¾	1.00⅝
July	.96	.94⅝	.95⅝	.94½
September	.94⅝	.93⅝	.94⅛	.93⅛
Corn—				
January	..	..	.64¼	.63
May	.67⅝	.65⅞	.67⅝	.66
July	.66⅞	.65½	.66⅞	.65⅝
September	.67⅛	.66⅛	.67	.65⅝
Oats—				
May	.50¼	.49½	.50⅝	.49⅝
July	.45⅝	.45⅝	.45⅝	.44⅞
September	.40⅝	.40¼	.40⅝	.40¼
Lard—				
January	9.27½	9.20	9.27½	9.10
May	9.52½	9.42½	9.52½	9.37½
July	9.65	9.60	9.65	9.52½
September	..	..	9.77½	9.62½
Ribs—				
January	8.60	8.55	8.60	8.45
May	8.85	8.75	8.82½	8.67½
July	8.90	8.80	8.87½	8.75
September	9.05	8.97½	9.05	..
Pork—				
January	..	..	15.95	15.60
May	16.45	16.20	16.42½	16.10
July	16.67½	16.50	16.62½	16.27½

COTTONSEED OIL.

The strength of the lard, cotton, and corn markets had considerable influence on sentiment. Speculative demand partly for the Western contingent was in evidence with offerings rather limited and of a scattered character. Crude is still being sold in limited volume and the pressure of hedges is easily absorbed. There have been claims of a little European selling, principally of the near positions, and possibly influenced by the sagging of foreign oils. Consuming inquiry is stated to be about fair, lacking urgency, however. Crude quoted at 4.34 to 4.40 in the Southeast and Texas. Future quotations follow:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Spot	..	..	5.31	5.31
January	..	..	5.32	5.31
February	5.38	5.38	5.37	5.38
March	5.47	5.44	5.46	5.45
April	..	..	5.50	5.49
May	5.60	5.56	5.60	5.55
June	..	..	5.65	5.59
July	5.73	5.68	5.72	5.68

COTTON.

The periods of pressure during yesterday's session were not of long duration, and the undertone was very firm during the entire day. Gains of 7 to 10 points occurred at the start in response to somewhat higher cables than expected from Liverpool, but due more directly to the spot sales of 18,000 bales there, these for two days totaling 30,000 bales. Moreover, large spot interests bought freely on the local Exchange, and the more settled labor situation in New England discouraged aggressive operations for a decline. The close was near the high point of the day, active deliveries showing net advances of approximately $1 a bale, while it was evident that there was more confidence among holders, due in a large measure to the comparatively light hedging pressure from the South, despite the continuance of favorable climatic conditions.

It was privately stated that the unusually large spot business at Liverpool was partly accounted for by the settling of call cotton, which must be arranged before the end of January. Obviously the volume of spot sales was augmented by this and additional strength imparted to the contract market when the purchases are consummated. Apart from this, however, the tenor of Manchester advices continues very encouraging, it being officially reported that there was a fair business doing in yarns, while cloths were in good demand from India. Continental spinners were credited with buying in Liverpool, and absorption for trade accounts was also noticed in the local market. The belief in many quarters is that Northern spinners will exhibit increased interest in the market, especially on the soft spots, it being realized that takings by these mills have been comparatively small, the price of cotton, purchases by other mills, and trade conditions when compared with last year taken into consideration.

Spot advices were again more satisfactory to holders, with demand very fair and prices steady. Official quotations were unchanged to ⅛c advance, with some assertions that about 9⅝@9½c was paid recently in Texas, basis middling, making it clear that the local market is still below a parity for delivering much cotton. This may partly explain the relatively small warehouse stocks at New York, given at 159,000 bales, against 285,000 last year, also indicating that in many instances a more advantageous outlet is available than the New York contract market. Spot cotton here was 15 points advance; middlings, 9.65c.

The liberal export movement is unabated, and shipments to date total about 6,435,000 bales, against 5,272,000 last year. Optimists on foreign consumption are calculating on an outward movement this season of about 10,000,000 bales, but many believe that these predictions represent a maximum quantity. The exports for the entire preceding season were 8,068,000 bales, according to the Census Bureau.

COTTON PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
January	9.35	9.25	9.34@9.35	9.18
February	9.28	9.28	9.36@9.38	9.20
March	9.48	9.38	9.45@9.46	9.30
April	..	..	9.53@9.55	9.36
May	9.65	9.53	9.63@9.64	9.45
June	..	..	9.68@9.70	9.50
July	9.76	9.65	9.75@9.76	9.57
August	9.75	9.70	9.78@9.80	9.60
September	9.78	9.74	9.77@9.78	9.64
October	9.89	9.79	9.86@9.87	9.72
November	..	..	9.89@9.91	9.75
December	9.97	9.89	9.95@9.96	9.82

COFFEE.

Coffee showed a steadier tone, but after opening at an advance of 5 to 11 points the market moved within a comparatively narrow range and closed at 6 to 10 points net advance. Total sales, 53,000 bags. Havre advanced 1¼f to 1½f, and Hamburg gained 1 to 1¼ pfennigs. Cost and freight offers from Brazil were very steady. Rio was unchanged and Santos declined 100 reis. The Valorization Committee is expected to announce to-day the amount of valorization coffee to be sold during this year, and operators seemed disposed to await this announcement. Spot coffee, 13⅜c for Rio No. 7. Contract prices follow:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
January	12.50	12.50	12.48@12.50	12.42
February	..	..	12.51@12.54	12.44
March	12.60	12.54	12.58@12.59	12.50
April	..	..	12.58@12.59	12.49
May	12.59	12.54	12.57@12.58	12.48
June	..	..	12.57@12.58	12.48
July	12.60	12.55	12.57@12.58	12.48
August	..	..	12.57@12.58	12.48
September	12.60	12.55	12.58@12.59	12.49
October	..	..	12.56@12.57	12.47
November	..	..	12.52@12.53	12.43
December	12.50	12.44	12.48@12.49	12.38

COUNTRY PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Creamery, specials, pound, 38c; extras, 37c; firsts, 34½@36c; seconds, 32@34c; thirds, 30@31c; held, specials, 37½c; extras, 36½@37c; firsts, 34@36c; seconds, 32@33c; thirds, 29@31c; State dairy, tubs, finest, 36½@37½c; good to prime, 32@36c; common to fair, 24@30c; process, specials, 29@29½c; extras, 28@28½c; firsts, 26@27c; seconds, 24@25c; factory, current make, firsts, 25½c; seconds, 24½c; thirds, 22@23½c; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 23½@24c; No. 3, 21@22½c.

CHEESE—State, whole milk, Fall and earlier, specials, 17c; average fancy, 16¾c; Winter made, specials, 16½c; average fancy, 16¼c; undergrades, 14½@16c; Daisies, Fall and earlier, best, 17c; State, skims, Fall and earlier, specials, 14½@14¾c; choice, 13@14c; Winter made, specials, 13½@13¾c; choice, 13@13¼c; undergrades, nominal, 7½@12½c.

EGGS—Fresh gathered, extras, dozen, 36@37c; extra firsts, 35c; firsts, 33@34c; seconds, 31@32c; thirds and poorer, 25@30c; dirties, No. 1, 26c; No. 2, 22@25c; checks, prime, 22@25c; poor to fair, 18@21c; refrigerators, special marks, fancy, 29½@30c; firsts, 28½@29c; seconds, 27@28c; thirds, 24@26c; poor, 18@23c; State, Pennsylvania and near by, hennery whites, fancy, large, new laid, 40c; selected whites, fair to good, 36@39c; hennery browns, 36@37c; gathered browns and mixed colors, 32@35c; near by whites, small, 30@33c; gathered whites, Western, 36@38c.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

ALBERT ALFANDRI, a tailor of Yonkers, has filed a petition with liabilities $2,674 and no assets.

JOSEPH BLOCH, plumber, of 3,668 Barnes Avenue, has filed a petition, with liabilities of $9,457 and nominal assets of $21,295.

JACOB KUSCHNER, a painter of 1,608 Madison Avenue, has filed a petition with liabilities $3,541 and nominal assets $3,000.

JOSEPH J. KRIEGEL, liquor dealer, formerly of Kriegel & Matile at 2,467 Seventh Avenue, has filed a petition, with liabilities of $1,664 and no assets.

WILLIAM A. RAYMOLD, maker and dealer in military uniforms, costumes, and general supplies for societies and fraternal orders, at 99 Fourth Avenue, has made an assignment to James Allen.

ALBERT SCHOWINSKY.—Judge Hough has dismissed the petition filed on Dec. 4 against Albert Schowinsky, manufacturer of untrimmed hats at 179 Wooster Street, on a settlement at 20 cents on the dollar.

MINNIE LAZAR.—A petition has been filed against Minnie Lazar, wholesale confectioner at 157 Forsyth Street, by Henry Heide and four other creditors, whose claims aggregate $540. The liabilities are $1,500 and assets $500.

ABRAHAM ABRAMS.—A petition has been filed against Abraham Abrams, manufacturer of furs at 11 East Twenty-second Street, by these creditors: Paul Silver, $95; Isidor Pines, $102, and A. M. Kirscher, $308. The liabilities are stated to be $12,000 and assets $4,000.

EDWARD MADOW.—Judge Hough has appointed Marcus Helfand receiver for Edward Madow, jeweler of 115 Avenue A; bond, $1,000. The assets are estimated at $2,000 in stock and $3,000 accounts. Five creditors asked to have a receiver appointed.

BENJAMIN LEWKOWITZ.—Judge Hough has granted a discharge from bankruptcy to Benjamin Lewkowitz, wholesale dealer in made-up furs, formerly at 19 East Eighth Street, against whom a petition was filed on Nov. 2, 1910, with liabilities $10,803.

JULIUS OPPENHEIMER, jeweler, of 9 Maiden Lane, formerly a partner in the firm of Oppenheimer & Stern, manufacturing jewelers at 41 Maiden Lane, has filed a petition. The firm liabilities were about $32,000 and his liabilities now are scheduled at $11,793. He has no assets now.

HENRI FRENCH, an actor of 123 West Forty-fourth Street, has filed a petition with liabilities $2,490 and no assets. There are ten creditors, among them being the Victoria Hotel Company, $300; Hotel Du Nord, Chicago, or C. A. Conklin, $300; Saratoga Hotel, Chicago, $25, and J. Boesberg, Buffalo, $1,200.

SCHIFRIN, WISEMAN & CO.—A petition has been filed against Schifrin, Wiseman & Co., composed of Benjamin Schifrin, Benjamin Wiseman, and Moses Goldberg, importers of furs and skins at 16 West Twenty-seventh Street, by Archibald Palmer for these creditors: Fuchs & Co., $808; Meyer Aronin & Sons, $278, and Meskin, Fine & Co., $28. Mr. Palmer said that the liabilities are $35,000, mostly in Leipsic, and the assets $7,000.

BELLECLAIRE HOTEL COMPANY.—Arrangements have been made for a settlement of the claims against the Belleclaire Hotel Company at Seventy-seventh Street and Broadway, against which a petition was filed on Dec. 13 at 50 cents on the dollar on the merchandise debts. A committee of creditors has been at work on the case for a month past, and Yankauer & Davidson, attorneys for the committee, said yesterday that Dr. F. H. Johnston had deposited $2,000 with Maurice P. Davidson as an evidence of good faith for the purchase of the assets from the receiver, to be turned over to a new company called the Belleclaire Operating Company, for enough to pay 50 cents on the dollar on the merchandise claims of $22,000. The claim of the landlord for back rent, taxes, and water rates and the claim of the chattel mortgage, aggregating about $15,000, are to be paid in full.

Out of Town.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—Daniel Kent of Worcester filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are $13,201.

An involuntary petition was filed against John A. Kennedy of Friend Street, Boston, the claims of the petitioners amounting to $544.

Schedules in the bankrupt case of the Carter-Chesebro Company of Springfield were filed to-day, showing liabilities of $35,429.64 and assets of $30,527.65. Of the latter $27,056.93 was in stock in trade.

JUDGMENTS.

These judgments, for amounts more than $100, were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Bower, Margaret—Sonn Brothers Co., $131.
Corrigan, John H.—A. J. Ryan, $131.
Channes, Jacob, and Jacob Lerner—I. Rosenblatt, $170.
Cahn, William H.—E. F. Robertson, $1,382.
Countz, George R.—Equitable Trust Co. of New York, $219.
Cohen, Hyman—M. Agwolinsky et al., $189.
Eichler, Philip—Equitable Trust Co., $617.
Epstein, Alfred—New York Telephone Co., $176.
Faulk, Carl—City of New York, $220.
Flynn, John J.—Same, $220.
Flygare, Anna M. and Charles C.—R. J. Algia, $839.
Gotschius, Harry B.—Frank P. Bennett & Co., $104.
Groff, Joseph C.—W. L. Savage, $223.
Gold, Joe or Joseph, and Hyman Wolff—C. E. Scofield, $145.
Goldman, H. Sterling, and Joseph Hersberg—D. Bonomo et al., $418.
Grasmuck, Theodore A.—M. Borck, $1,604.
Horowitz, Nathan and Meyer—S. Segal, $290.
Horve, Alfred H.—S. Coddington et al., $2,209.
Isaac, Morris—Standard Plumbing Supply Co., $408.
Janin, Jacob A.—P. Syms, $278.
Johnson, Elizabeth J.—G. P. Loughrey, $383.
Joline, Adrian H., and Douglas Robinson, receivers—W. Stabiner, $279.
Knapp, Jarvis H.—H. L. Gale, $527.
Kettler, Fred—McDermot Diary Co., costs, $108.
Kiernan, Thomas, (not summoned,) and Frances R.—H. D. Miner et al., $321.
Leeder, Barney—H. C. Hallenbeck, $368.
Levin, Samuel, and Morris Rubin—People, &c., $500.
Lichtenfeld, Joseph, and Samuel Schneittscher—I. Schneittscher, $1,192.
Lindner, Nathan and Mollie—M. J. Drummond, $136.
Myers, Katherine I.—E. T. Herzog, costs, $121.
Meeks, Emma—E. M. Scrymser, $194.
Miller, Samuel A.—M. H. Hoffman, $580.
Murphy, John D.—Equitable Trust Co., $140.
Millet, Max, and Israel Rader, (not summoned,)—Annin & Co., $106.
Nute, Ella J.—Joseph Beck & Sons, $278.
Nute, Ella J.—L. Earth & Son, $189.
Nemeroffsky, Adolf—N. Goldberg et al, $318.
Nesman, Louis—C. Schars, $242.
Post, Edwin M., and Grove E. Warner—C. F. Thomas, costs, $115.
Post, Edwin M., and Grove E. Warner—C. A. Hamilton, costs, $122.
Ranko, Joseph M.—P. M. Potick, $4,108.
Romano, Crazio S.—M. Romano, $267.
Roche, John P.—W. A. MacDonald & Co., $3,342.
Ranger, John H.—Guide Realty Co., $297.
Ryon, Annie M.—M. Phipps, costs, $401.
Stewart, William G.—T. E. Auerbach, $136.
Sipp, George A.—F. Ohell, $525.
Sweet, Samuel—J. Shenfield, $128.
Satenstein, David L.—Maze Realty Co. of New York, $216.
Shaw, William J.—H. A. Fluckiger, $217.
Simon, Kassel, and Isidor Reis—S. Williams, $780.
Schnatz, Adolph, and Simon Steiner—Fagan Iron Works, $158.
Ruebensch, Charles B.—E. C. Stachs et al., $590.
Thomas, Edward R.—E. M. Post et al., $74,438.
Van Schoen, Otto—F. Spadaccini, $142.
Wood, Arthur D., and George H. Reifenider—Hamilton Dairy Co., $116.
Wilhelm, Charles P.—L. D. Bradshaw, $225.
Wachsteter, Pincus—Equitable Trust Co., $101.
Walter, Edward L.—J. D. Gardiner, $215.
Weill, Leroy—J. Rosenblatt, $144.
Wright, Nannie D., or Mrs. D. Gregory Wright—Scott & Fowles Co., $18,155.
Fireproof Partition Co—City of N. Y., $135.
A. Feldman Construction Co.—Same, $217.
Kline Brothers & Co.—Rimouski Fire Insurance Co., costs, $108.
Same—York Fire Insurance Co. of Toronto, costs, $108.
Same—Roger Williams Fire Insurance Co. of Providence, R. I., $108.
Amity Construction Co.—D. S. Wilson, $3,108.
Ortho Film Co.—H. M. Walter, $176.
Fullerton Weaver Realty Co.—R. J. Mahoney, $5,211.
Frisco Realty Co., Borough Cut Stone Co., Charles J. Zimmerman, Jr., and John M. Cantwell—American Blue Stone Co., $294.
Superior Embroidery Works—L. Roseman et al., $175.
Compostone Co.—Roebling Construction Co., $197.
King Elizabeth System—G. G. Fowning, $629.
Acreage Development Co.—New York Telephone Co., $157.
Interboro Paper Box Co.—Sayles-Zahn Co., $168.
A. Feldman Construction Co. and Abraham Feldman—L. Goldstein, $276.
Seventeenth Street Realty Co.—J. Alexander, $1,547.
Nassau Electric R. R. Co.—R. Kaufman, $640.
Enterprise Coal Co.—Illinois Steel Co., $935.
Graff School, Inc.—W. L. Savage, $116.

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and the date that when judgment was filed.

Goodman, Tobias, and Samuel E. Baum—J. Greenberg, Jan. 19, 1912, $593.
Bollendonk, John—H. Struss, Oct. 24, 1892, $118.
Peerless Tube Co.—City of New York, March 11, 1910, (vacated,) $120.
Robinson, Arthur—A. Guinnaud, Dec. 26, 1911, $1,586.
Henesey, Catharine E.—H. Lipert, March 30, 1911, $651.
Elliott, Walter P.—G. F. Wieman Co., Jan. 22, 1912, $1,084.
Grenning, Paul C., and Paul C. Grenning Construction Co.—J. Liebitz, Oct. 13, 1909, $232.
Merges, Francis—L. A. Trippe, July 7, 1911, $391.
O'Brien—John, and John C. Sheehan—Borne & Scrymser Co., June 20, 1903, $3,572.
Silberstein, Jacob & Michael—H. B. Claflin Co., Sept. 3, 1897, $281.
Young, Frank L., and Frank Kimball—J. B. Dewsnap et al., May 19, 1911, $107.
Thomas & Buckley Operating Co.—P. McConnell, June 14, 1911, (reversed,) $3,638.
Marcus, Simon—Pyramid Garage Co., Jan. 28, 1909, (canceled,) $105.
Same—Rutherford Rubber Co., June 25, 1909, (canceled,) $172.
Same—New Jersey Terra Cotta Co., June 25, 1908, (canceled,) $140.
Same—Metropolitan Bank, July 13, 1908, (canceled,) $9,180.
Same—Twenty-third Ward Bank, July 13, 1908, (canceled,) $427.
Same—W. B. Crane et al., April 12, 1909, (canceled,) $253.
Same—Union Exchange Bank, July 13, 1908, (canceled,) $519.
Same—William T. Hookey, Inc., Feb. 17, 1910, (canceled,) $451.
Same—Same, Feb. 17, 1910, (canceled,) $260.
Same—Murray & Reid Co., Nov. 16, 1908, $226.
Hall, William H.—W. H. Hunt, Jan. 8, 1912, $3,441.

Arrival of Buyers.

Arriving buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

Jones-Bird-Kenyon, Utica; J. S. Bird, clothing; Grand.
Phillipson, S., & Co., Chicago; M. Segal, clothing and gloves; Grand.
Euwers, J. N., Sons, Co., Youngstown; J. N. Euwer, coats, suits, waists, millinery; Miss L. E. Biddle, millinery; Grand.
Hess Brothers, Allentown; Miss F. Wieand, laces, handkerchiefs; Miss C. Kiernan, ladies' wear; 315 4th Av.; Victoria.
Prager Co., San Francisco; L. Prager, cloaks, suits, waists; 200 5th Av.
Spokane Dry Goods Co., Spokane; E. E. Gordon, cloaks, suits, waists, laces, and infants' wear; 225 4th Av.
Wilkins Brothers Co., Des Moines; F. Dallas, cloaks, suits, waists; 45 E. 17th; Latham.
Silverman, M., & Son, Philadelphia; S. B. Koffler, notions, laces; 18 W. 27th.
Baltimore Bargain House, Baltimore; C. B. Henderson, cloaks and suits; 72 Leonard.
Stampfer, J. F., Co., Dubuque; A. M. Jaeggle, house furn. goods; 31 Union Square; Elks.
Almy, Bigelow & Washburn, Salem; H. P. Edgecomb, hosiery, furn. goods, ladies' and children's furn. goods, merino underwear; 2 Walker.
Lane, J. R., D. G. Co., Los Angeles; J. R. Lane, dry goods; R. T. Cremer, cloaks, suits, waists; 100 5th Ave.
Nachman & Meertief, Montgomery; A. Nachman, dry goods; M. Marcous, ready-to-wear; 114 5th Ave.; Somerset.
Thomas, A. S., Meriden; J. C. Thomas, dress goods, silks, cloaks, and suits; 220 5th Ave.; Somerset.
Zion Co-op. Mercantile Institution, Salt Lake; W. A. Needham, cloaks, laces, notions; Mrs. C. L. Wetzel, waists; Flanders.
McNair, Mrs. H. B., Helena; cloaks, suits; Wellington.
Fox, G., & Co., Hartford; M. J. Sullivan, carpets, blankets, upholstery; 320 Church.
United Cloak and Suit Co., Evansville; W. Grossbaum, cloaks and suits; 15 E. 26th; Breslin.
Webb, Freyschlag Mercantile Co., Kansas City; R. W. Freyschlag, toys, fancy goods; 350 Broadway.
Beeman & Hender, Los Angeles; Miss N. A. Hender, infants', children's wear, waists, embroideries; Mrs. M. A. Beeman, skirts, waists; Seymour.
Carl Co., Schenectady; C. W. Carl, cloaks, suits; 102 5th Av.; Breslin.
Hochschild, Kohn & Co., Baltimore; A. J. Jones, dress goods, silks; 220 5th Av.
Oppenheim, Obersdorf & Co., Baltimore, Md.; E. Oppenheim, skirts; 262 Church.
Stewart & Co., Baltimore; F. E. Pennock, domestics; 214 Church.
Schwartz Bros., Chattanooga; R. Schwartz, cloaks, suits; 13 E. 22d.
Field, Marshall, & Co., Chicago; Mrs. J. A. Gray, knit goods; 104 Worth.
May Co., Cleveland; E. Hirsh, boys' clothing and furnishing goods; 4 Washington Place.
White, R. H., & Co., Boston; G. E. Chapman, clothing; Miss Tarpey, cloaks, suits; M. V. Scott, jewelry; 41 Union Square.
Frederick & Nelson, Seattle; Miss E. Inman, muslin underwear, infants' wear; 22 E. 17th; Wolcott.
O'Neill & Co., Baltimore; A. Stocket, silks; Breslin.
Sanger Brothers, Waco; H. Taylor, dress goods, silks; 15 Mercer; Herald Square.
Roberts, John A., & Co., Utica; E. W. Miller, dress goods, silks; Breslin.
Whitney, William, & Co., Albany; R. T. Fleming, linens; 41 Union; Breslin.
Leszynsky, S. L., & Co., Seattle; G. W. Kirske, cloaks, suits; 32 West 18th.
Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Co., Rochester; D. A. Williams, ribbons; J. A. Reynolds, laces; 434 Broome.
Silverman, M., & Son, Philadelphia; W. Silverman, silks; Miss R. Gartman, children's ready to wear; 18 West 27th.
Woodward & Lothrop, Washington; J. M. Buzzell, dress goods, linings; E. C. Gatchel, men's furnishing goods and hats; 334 4th Av.
Bernheimer Brothers, Baltimore; J. E. Berke, waists, underwear, infants' wear, and children's dresses; 221 4th Av.
Golden Eagle Dry Goods Co., Denver; H. S. Bauman, coats, suits, waists, and dresses, 315 4th Av.
Clarke & Co., Peoria; F. A. Beyer, rugs, carpets, upholstery; 31 Union Sq.
White, R. H., Co., Boston; J. Bell, hosiery, knit underwear; M. Delaney, representing; 41 Union Sq.
Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Chicago; H. F. Streich, linings, tailors' trimmings, blankets, flannels, jeans, cottonades; 115 Worth.
Ferguson-McKinney Dry Goods Co., St. Louis; O. R. Gibbons, cloaks, suits, waists, gloves, and infants' wear; 350 B'way.
Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co., St. Louis; H. S. Wheeler, waists, petticoats, and muslin underwear; 377 B'way.
Filene's, W., Sons Co., Boston; Mrs. M. L. Jackson, waists; Mr. Watt, suits; J. J. Kelley, merchandise manager; Miss Jones, dressing sacques and kimonos; 4 W. 22d.
Burnham, Munger & Root Dry Goods Co., Kansas City; W. K. Walthall, flannels and blankets; 43 Leonard.
Adam, Meldrum & Anderson Co., Buffalo; N. C. Collins, jewelry, notions, and toilet goods; T. P. Watson, hosiery and gloves, 2 Walker.
Crews-Beggs Dry Goods Co., Pueblo; A. C. Jones, notions, fancy goods, ribbons, laces, neckwear, books, stationery, silverware, and jewelry; 2 Walker.
Brown, Thomson & Co., Hartford; Mr. Brown, dry goods; J. Henry, carpets; 2 Walker.
Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Reading; J. S. McQuay, carpets and rugs; 2 Walker.
Denholm & McKay Co., Worcester; A. J. Gross, laces, handkerchiefs, and embroideries; 2 Walker.
Bunce, J. H., Company, Middletown; Miss A. E. Long, buttons, laces, trimmings, and embroideries; 75 Spring; Prince George.
Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Co., Rochester; H. A. Egleston, ribbons; 434 Broome.
Sheehan, Dean & Co., Elmira; T. B. Mathews, notions, ribbons, buttons, and trimmings; 320 Church.
Miller, D. C., Baltimore; J. M. Easton, dress goods, silks; Imperial.
Fowler, Dick & Walker, Wilkesbarre; M. Burnside, dress goods, silks, laces; 102 5th Av.
Clark, Davis & Poor Co., Columbus; H. M. Clark, ladies' hats; Miss K. Jones, ladies' hats; 621 Broadway; Navarre.
Miller Bros. Co., Chattanooga; F. L. Miller, cloaks, suits, waists, millinery; 114 5th Av.; Navarre.
Siegel, H., Co., Boston; R. G. Alexander, bedding; Herald Square.
Filenes, Wm., Sons & Co., Boston; W. B. Warner, ready to wear; 4 West 22d St.
Forbes & Wallace, Springfield; W. F. Maloney, millinery, ladies' and infants' wear, furn. goods, corsets, gloves; Miss Howard, millinery; 2 Walker St.
Hurst, John E., Co., Baltimore; A. C. Wilson, underwear; 31 Union Square; Imperial.
Hirschler, E. &M., Co., Norfolk; M. Hirschler, notions, laces, furn. goods, hosiery, gloves; Breslin.
Butler, H. H., Co., Troy; H. H. Butler, cloaks, suits; Albert.
Jordan, Marsh Co., Boston; J. A. Belyea, ladies' collars, cuffs; F. C. Kimball, costumes; 31 Union Square.
Shillito, John E., Cincinnati; Miss Ada B. Campbell, ladies' wear; 346 Broadway; Gregorian.
Adam, Meldrum & Anderson Co., Buffalo; M. Benson, upholstery goods; F. S. Collins, notions; 2 Walker; Victoria.
Marks, Rothenberg Co., Meriden; L. Rothenberg, dress goods, silks; 43 Leonard. Hoffman.
Bair & Whitmer, Lancaster; J. J. Bair, cloaks, suits; Breslin.
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NOTICE

The Mercantile Safe Deposit Company

The work of making the walls safe and removing the debris has progressed sufficiently to afford access to a few vaults. The vaults are intact and undamaged. The premises are carefully guarded by the Company's own watchmen, in addition to which adequate protection is being afforded by the Police Department of the City of New York.

Holders of safes in such vaults as can be reached will be personally notified by mail. Safe holders receiving such notices and desiring immediate access to their safes, should make application to the Company at No. 20 Nassau Street for cards of admission.

Arrangements are being made for the continuance of the Company's business at No. 115 Broadway, under which safe holders are to be furnished safes in the new premises free of all additional charges for the unexpired terms of their leases.

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OFFICE OF THE ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

New York, January 23d, 1912.

The Trustees, in conformity with the Charter of the company, submit the following statement of its affairs on the 31st of December, 1911:

The company's business has been confined to marine and inland transportation insurance.

Premiums on such risks from the 1st January, 1911, to the 31st December, 1911			$3,653,325.18
Premiums on policies not marked off 1st January, 1911			873,680.37
Total premiums			$4,527,005.55
Premiums marked off from January 1st, 1911, to December 31st, 1911			$3,773,578.22
Interest on the investments of the company received during the year	$333,897.03		
Interest on deposits in banks and trust companies, etc.	39,628.24		
Rent received less taxes and expenses	153,167.66	$526,692.93	
Losses paid during the year		$1,385,386.46	
Less salvages	$220,704.52		
Reinsurances	205,151.34	$425,855.86	
		$959,530.60	
Returns of premiums		$196,936.89	
Expenses, including officers' salaries and clerks' compensation, stationery, advertisements, etc.		570,472.18	

A dividend of interest of **Six** per cent. on the outstanding certificates of profits will be paid to the holders thereof, or their legal representatives, on and after **Tuesday**, the **sixth** of **February** next.

The outstanding certificates of the issue of **1906** will be redeemed and paid to the holders thereof, or their legal representatives, on and after **Tuesday**, the **sixth** of **February** next, from which date all interest thereon will cease. The certificates to be produced at the time of payment, and canceled.

A dividend of **Forty** per cent. is declared on the earned premiums of the company for the year ending 31st December, 1911, which are entitled to participate in dividend, for which, upon application, certificates will be issued on and after **Tuesday**, the **seventh** of **May** next.

By order of the board, G. STANTON FLOYD-JONES, Secretary.

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BALANCE SHEET.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
United States and State of New York Bonds	$700,000.00	Estimated Losses, and Losses Unsettled in process of Adjustment.	$2,310,027.00
New York City and New York Trust Co. and Bank Stocks	1,777,900.00	Premiums on Unterminated Risks.	753,427.33
Stocks and Bonds of Railroads	2,742,162.00	Certificates of Profits and Interest Unpaid	267,092.05
Other Securities	220,020.00	Return Premiums Unpaid	109,742.16
Special Deposits in Banks and Trust Companies	1,000,000.00	Reserve for Taxes	57,512.16
Real Estate cor. Wall and William Streets and Exchange Place, containing offices	4,299,426.04	Reinsurance Premiums	183,599.07
Real Estate on Staten Island (held under provisions of Chapter 481, Laws of 1887)	75,000.00	Claims not Settled, including Compensation, etc.	69,104.08
Premium Notes	618,136.00	Certificates of Profits Ordered Redeemed, withheld for Unpaid Premiums	22,471.29
Bills Receivable	449,354.23	Certificates of Profits Outstanding	7,401,390.00
Cash in hands of European Bankers to pay losses under policies payable in foreign countries	208,603.36		
Cash in Bank	930,321.99		
New York City Revenue Bonds	450,000.00		
	$13,465,923.62		$11,174,365.14

Thus leaving a balance of	$2,291,558.48
Accrued Interest on Bonds, on the 31st day of December, 1911, amounted to	41,878.80
Rents due on the 31st day of December, 1911, amounted to	21,970.46
Reinsurance due or accrued, in companies authorized in New York, on the 31st day of December, 1911, amounted to	214,367.00
Unexpired reinsurance premiums on the 31st day of December, 1911, amounted to	83,096.43
Note—The Insurance Department has estimated the value of the Real Estate corner Wall and William Streets and Exchange Place in excess of the Book Value given above, at	450,573.96
And the property at Staten Island in excess of the Book Value, at	63,700.00
The Market Value of Stocks, Bonds, and other Securities on the 31st day of December, 1911, exceeded the company's valuation by	1,588,635.62
On the basis of these increased valuations the balance would be	$4,755,780.75

J. SPENCER TURNER COMPANY.

In accordance with Article III. of the six per cent. Debenture Bonds of this Company, dated February 1st, 1906, the following Bonds have been drawn for redemption:

Numbers:

20	159	277	432	696	845	1027	1254
30	173	297	444	716	863	1028	1336
39	205	319	470	729	896	1043	1358
53	225	338	485	744	898	1053	1362
63	232	334	507	745	900	1102	1484
111	241	351	555	750	916	1156	1487
130	253	357	611	756	936	1210	1503
132	255	370	619	758	961	1216	
135	258	415	656	806	982	1225	
143	262	421	664	821	1024	1248	

and will be redeemed at par and accrued interest on the first day of February, 1912, at the Office of the Company, Nos. 86 and 88 Worth Street, New York City, or at the Continental Trust Company, Baltimore, Maryland, on which date interest ceases on above bonds.

J. SPENCER TURNER COMPANY,
T. M. TURNER, President.
Jan. 12, 1912.

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DIVIDENDS.

TENNESSEE COPPER COMPANY.

New York City, January 22d, 1912.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend on the capital stock of this Company of SIX PER CENT., ($1.50 per share,) payable February 20th, 1912, to stockholders of record at the close of business on Wednesday, January 31st, 1912.

WALTER LEWISOHN, Treasurer.

DIVIDENDS.

PRESSED STEEL CAR COMPANY.

New York, N. Y., January 18th, 1912.

PREFERRED DIVIDEND NO. 52.

A quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREE QUARTERS PER CENT. (1¾%) will be paid on the preferred stock of this Company February 21st, 1912, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 31st, 1912. Cheques will be mailed from the offices of the company. The transfer books will close at three P. M., January 31st, 1912, and reopen at ten A. M., February 21st, 1912.

F. P. VAN HORNE, Treasurer.

THE BUFFALO MINES LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an extra quarterly dividend of three per cent. (3%) on the capital stock of the Buffalo Mines, Limited, will be paid February 15th, 1912, to shareholders of record on February 5th, 1912. Stock books will close at the close of business on February 5th, 1912, and reopen for transfer on February 16th, 1912. GEORGE C. MILLER,
January 8, 1912. Secretary-Treasurer.

AMALGAMATED COPPER COMPANY.

42 Broadway, New York, January 18, 1912.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Amalgamated Copper Company a dividend of One-Half of One Per Cent. (½ of 1%) was declared, payable February 26, 1912, to stockholders of record on the books of the Company as of 12 o'clock noon, January 27, 1912.

A. H. MELIN, Secretary and Treasurer.

MADISON SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY.

A dividend of One and One-Half Per Cent. (1½%) on the capital stock of this company has been declared, payable to stockholders of record at the close of business February 15th, 1912.

Transfer books will be closed from February 10th to February 15th, 1912, both inclusive.

BRECKENRIDGE CARROLL, Secretary.

THE CORN EXCHANGE BANK

New York, January 24, 1912.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of FOUR PER CENT. (4%), payable February 1st, 1912, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 25th, 1912.

FREDK. T. MARTIN, Cashier.

DIVIDENDS.

PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT CO., PORTLAND, OREGON.

PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND NO. 8.

The regular quarterly dividend of One and Three-Fourths (1¾%) Per Cent. on the Preferred Stock of Pacific Power & Light Company has been declared for the quarter ending Jan. 31, 1912, payable on the 1st day of February, 1912, to stockholders of record at the close of business on January 26, 1912, on which date the transfer books will close and reopen on February 1, 1912.

E. P. SUMMERSON, Treasurer.

NEW YORK, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS R. R. CO.

Grand Central Terminal, N. Y., Jan. 24, 1912.

The Board of Directors of this Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. on the First and Second Preferred Capital Stock, and an annual dividend of THREE PER CENT. on the Common Capital Stock, payable at this office March 1st, 1912, to stockholders of record at three o'clock P. M. on Friday, Feb. 24, 1912.

CHARLES F. COX, Treasurer.

THE GERMAN AMERICAN BANK.

New York, January 20, 1912.

The Board of Directors has declared a dividend of Three per cent., free of tax, payable February 1st, 1912, to stockholders of record at close of business January 27th, 1912.

J. F. FREDERICHS, Cashier.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

United Cigar Manufacturers Company.

Notice of Annual and of Special Meeting of Stockholders.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the UNITED CIGAR MANUFACTURERS COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, Nos. 1,018 and 1,020 Second Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 1st day of February, 1912, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the election of four (4) directors of the Third Class to serve for three years, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

Please also take notice that on the 1st day of February, 1912, at 11:30 P. M., a special meeting of the Stockholders of the United Cigar Manufacturers Company will be held at the place above stated for the purpose of considering a proposal to increase the common capital stock of said Company from Fifteen million dollars, ($15,000,000,) consisting of One hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) shares of the par value, of One hundred dollars ($100) each to Twenty million dollars ($20,000,000) to consist of Two hundred thousand (200,000) shares of the par value of One hundred dollars ($100) each.

Transfer books of common stock will close January 22d, 1912, at 3 P. M., and will reopen February 2d, 1912, at 10 A. M.

Dated January 6th, 1912.

JACOB WERTHEIM, President.
MAURICE WERTHEIM, Secretary.

Office of
Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company,
City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,
January 3rd, 1912.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company for the election of five (5) directors to serve three (3) years, and of three (3) inspectors of election to serve at the next succeeding annual meeting, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may be duly brought before the meeting, will be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday, January 26th, 1912, at the office of the company, 85 Clinton Street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City. The polls will remain open for one hour. The transfer books will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, January 9th, 1912, and will remain closed until ten o'clock A. M. on the day immediately succeeding said Stockholders' meeting.

J. H. BENNINGTON, Secretary.

The Empire State Surety Company of New York.

84 William Street.
New York, January 18, 1912.

To the Stockholders of THE EMPIRE STATE SURETY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Empire State Surety Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 84 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on January 30th, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before said meeting.

The polls will remain open from 12 to 1 o'clock P. M.

By orders of the Board of Directors.

CHARLES I. BROOKS, Secretary.

HUDSON MORTGAGE COMPANY.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the HUDSON MORTGAGE COMPANY for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election to serve for the succeeding year will be held at the office of the Company, No. 135 Broadway, New York City, on Wednesday, the 7th of February, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon.

The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed at 3 P. M. January 29, 1912, and reopened at 10 A. M. February 8, 1912.

FRANK L. COOKE, Secretary.

Dated New York, January 6, 1912.

AZTEC LAND AND CATTLE CO., Limited.

January 25th, 1912.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Aztec Land and Cattle Company, Limited, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 3 South William Street, New York City, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, February 13, 1912, at twelve o'clock M., for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

CHARLES D. LITHGOW, Secretary.

St. Louis, Mo., January 20, 1912.

TO STOCKHOLDERS:

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Laclede Gas Light Company, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 716 Locust Street, in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, on Tuesday, February 20, 1912, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and twelve o'clock M.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. K. BIXBY, President.
WM. S. DODD, Secretary.

AN ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of NATIONAL CROWN & SEAL COMPANY will be held at the office of the corporation in the office of Horace E. Parker, 100 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, New York, on Friday, January 26th, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day for the election of directors and inspectors of election for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business which may come before the meeting.

EDGAR A. STEWART, Secretary.

Dated, New York, January 11th, 1912.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF JOSEPH CARUBA COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Joseph Caruba Company will be held at the office of Hunt, Hill & Betts, No. 165 Broadway, New York City, on the fifteenth day of February, 1912, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of voting upon a proposition that this corporation be forthwith dissolved and for the purpose of taking action upon such other matters as may come before said meeting.

Dated January 23d, 1912.

ALEXANDER BEGG, President.

CENTRAL LEATHER COMPANY.

For the purpose of the Annual Meeting of Stockholders, the Preferred and Common Stock transfer books of this Company will close February 7, 1912, at 3 o'clock P. M. and reopen February 29, 1912.

FRED E. KNAPP, Secretary.

New York, January 23, 1912.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the AMERICAN KRON SCALE COMPANY, for the election of Directors and two Inspectors of Election, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held on Wednesday, February 7th, at 3 P. M., at the office of the Company, 39 Cortlandt Street, New York City. F. PFEIFFER, Secretary.

EAST RIVER NATIONAL BANK.

January 24, 1912.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of this Bank, held Wednesday, January 24, 1912, Mr. Henry V. E. Terhune was appointed Assistant Cashier.

GEO. E. HOYER, Cashier.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, seventh floor, 165 Broadway, New York, until 11 A. M. on Friday, February 9, 1912, for Contract AA, for printing.

At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. Pamphlets containing information for bidders can be obtained at the above address by depositing the sum of five dollars ($5.00) for each pamphlet. For further particulars see Information for Bidders.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President;
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,
JOHN F. GALVIN,
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.
JOSEPH P. MORRISSEY, Secretary.

OFFICE PURCHASING COMMISSARY, U. S. Army, 39 Whitehall Street, New York, N. Y., January 25, 1912.—Sealed proposals, in duplicate, for furnishing and delivering subsistence stores in this city at such times as may be required by the U. S. Government, on or before March 15, 1912, will be received at this office until ten o'clock A. M., February 3, 1912. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing bids should be marked "Proposals for Subsistence Stores, opened February 3, 1912," and addressed to Captain M. J. Henry, Commissary, U. S. Army.

THE TRI-CITY RAILWAY AND LIGHT CO.

The undersigned, as Trustee under the Five Per Cent. Collateral Trust First Lien Mortgage, dated April 1st, 1906, will receive sealed tenders up to 3:00 P. M. on February 2d, 1912, for the sale to it of $50,000 face value of bonds issued thereunder, for account of the Sinking Fund, at a price not exceeding 105% and accrued interest. The Trustee reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY, Trustee,
By H. W. MORSE, Secretary.
Dated New York, January 24, 1912.

MANUFACTURE OF OVERCOATS AND CAPS.—Army Building, New York City, N. Y., January 24, 1912.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 1 P. M. February 13, 1912, and then opened, for manufacturing 50,000 Caps, Service, Woolen, and 60,000 Overcoats, Olive Drab. Information upon application. M. GRAY ZALINSKI, Depot Q. M.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Activity Confined to Few Issues; General Stock Trading Still Lags.

AWAIT ST. PAUL DIVIDEND

Harriman Lines' Earnings Also Discussed—The Export Trade of the Steel Corporation.

Many traders again yesterday were disposed to do nothing, or as little as possible, in the stock market. This did not hold true of Reading, which contributed its recent customary one-third of the total transactions, and United States Steel, too, was traded in on a somewhat larger scale than of late. Indeed, practically all of the increase in the day's business was accounted for by the expansion in the trading in Steel common. Prices were under more or less pressure, and net losses in most stocks appeared in the session's final prices, although there was some recovery from the lowest. Some influence in this latter movement, particularly in United States Steel, may have been exerted by dispatches from Washington suggesting that the President would veto any revision of the steel schedule which Congress might pass in advance of a report from the Tariff Board. Perhaps even more interest than was taken in this particular situation was given to the perusal of the testimony of the Steel Corporation's President before the Stanley Committee in Washington. While it is necessary in view of the fragmentary character of the published accounts of such a hearing to make some allowances it was with some surprise that many read yesterday some of the statements regarding the export business of the Steel Corporation credited to its President during the course of his questioning by the committee. Thus the statement, said to be backed up by figures submitted by the corporation's President, that the export business of the Steel Corporation was generally done at ihgher prices than those charged to domestic consumers is not borne out by the statements in the company's own annual reports. Nor is it fair, as seems to have been done before the committee, to compare the standard price of $28 a ton for steel rails with the price of steel rails delivered abroad. It was pointed out that the latter price includes the cost of freight, but on the other hand, as is well known, the domestic price of $28 a ton is the cost at the mills to which must be added freight charges which at many points to which rails are delivered amount to several dollars a ton. It is true that the recent depression in steel prices which carried some of them to the lowest level in fifteen years, established lower prices here than in other countries, but this situation is not typical of the general condition under which the country's steel export business has been done. So far as the immediate position of the steel trade is concerned, a falling off in new orders is indicated by the reports compiled by The Iron Age, which adds that this is not regarded as a result of the proposed revision of the steel schedule. It seems rather that this falling off is the natural result of the very large scale on which new business was obtained by the steel manufacturers at the close of last year.

Two matters widely discussed in the financial district yesterday although they had but slight direct effect on the market, were the action to be taken to-day by the St. Paul Directors on that road's dividend and the expected publication to-day, or within a few days, of the December statement of the Union Pacific, which, according to report, will show a large loss in net earnings for that month. The Stock Exchange is fully prepared for a reduction in the St. Paul dividend, which for some time many have regarded as a foregone conclusion, although not unnaturally the suggestion was heard in some quarters yesterday that the dividend might not be reduced after all. So far as the Union Pacific's earnings are concerned, it has been very definitely intimated in well-informed quarters that while the gross earnings for December would be relatively better than the November showing the net would reveal the continued effect of the heavy expenses to which the Harriman lines have been put recently. Besides contending with unfavorable weather the Harriman system has been meeting large expenditures necessitated by the precautions which the Union and Southern Pacific took in connection with the strike which was declared by the road's machinists three months ago.

Dealings in bonds continue to include a large number of issues. The dominant feature in the trading seems still to be purchases for the temporary employment of idle funds rather than for permanent investment. There is, of course, more or less buying of the latter character, but it is from institutions, and from others with large amounts of funds, which, if business were active, would find employment in trade channels, that the largest demand for bonds is coming. The pressure of funds upon the market is illustrated among other ways by the favorable offers made to the City of New York for revenue warrants for which bids have recently been received on a 3 per cent. basis for four months loans. Money for the city for a period between 6 and 90 days has lately been borrowed as low as 2⅝ per cent. Abroad money rates were firmer in London, despite an easier tone in the discount market. The Bank of England is still being called upon for gold for shipment to India, whence the demand has been unusually large.

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

BOOKS CLOSE.

Brunswick Terminal and Railway Securities Co. for annual meeting.
Detroit Edison Co. for annual meeting.
Julius Kayser Co. for dividend on first and second preferred.
United Dry Goods Corporation for dividend on common.
Western Pennsylvania Railways for dividend on preferred.

DIVIDENDS PAYABLE.

Charles Warner Co. on first and second preferred.
Chicago Pneumatic Tool Co.
Du Pont de Nemours Powder Co. on preferred.
Homestake Mining Co.
International Pneumatic Tube Co. on preferred.
Mines Co. of America.
Monongahela River Coal and Coke Co. on preferred.
Ophir Mining Co.
Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway on common and preferred.
Pittsburgh Coal Co. on preferred.
Pneumatic Transit Co. on preferred.
Trenton Potteries Co. on preferred.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Henry E. Huntington has been elected a Director of the Fourth National Bank to fill a vacancy. The bank has made arrangements for doing a foreign exchange business. A. D. Bright, for many years foreign exchange manager for Kountze Brothers, will assume charge of this department next week.

Gilbert Elliott & Co., specialists in Standard Oil stocks, are offering full shares of former Standard Oil subsidiaries for fractional scrip, plus the cash balance representing the market value of the necessary fractions to complete one share. They also buy full shares, scrip or the fractional certificates in bulk as allotted.

The Wabash Railroad Refunding Mortgage Bondholders' Protective Committee, of which J. N. Wallace is Chairman, has retained J. W. Kendrick, former Vice President of the Atchison, to make an inspection of the property and report on its financial and physical needs. The Pierce Committee some time ago retained J. C. Stubbs to make a similar inspection. Mr. Stubbs began his inspection last week, and his report will be ready to submit to the committee in about a month.

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Germany and American Funds.

There was a strange divergence of opinion among a number of bankers questioned yesterday as to the extent to which Germany is still a borrower in this market. Some of the bankers said that we are still loaning money abroad, and that old loans had been renewed on a lower basis than was originally made. Others said that some of the loans made last Fall were being paid off. Two houses with strong German connections explained this seeming difference of opinion by saying that some banks in the interior which had loaned money to German institutions had been repaid, while in other cases the attractive basis on which loans could be negotiated had led to renewals. As a matter of fact, money is now almost as easy in Berlin as it is in New York.

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Cheap Money Here.

It is remarkable what a large surplus of idle money there is for loaning purposes in New York and other centres. Bankers have had offers of money for ninety days at 2¾ per cent, and for use until Sept. 1, at a rate but little above 3 per cent. Commenting on this, a banker pointed out yesterday that a large part of the cotton crop is still held by the growers, who are hoping for better prices. When this cotton comes upon the market and is paid for with foreign funds there promise to be still further additions to an already over plentiful money supply. It is becoming hard to loan funds out even at the very low rates which the banks are asking.

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Stabilizing Cotton.

There has been a remarkable development this season among cotton spinners of the long practiced system of making sure of future requirements by contracting for a proportion of needed cotton in advance of its growth. Hitherto these contracts between the spot men and the spinners have seldom carried beyond the next year. The phenomenal crop this season, however, has led to an extension of the system to as far ahead as 1920. It was estimated by a cotton authority yesterday that contracts covering from 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 bales of cotton have been made chiefly by German, Russian, and Austrian spinners, running from 1913 to 1920. Most of these contracts are limited to a five-year period and the basis quoted is 5 pence, equivalent to about 11 cents in this market. Some American spinners have also taken advantage of the willingness of the spot men to contract ahead, but the great bulk of the buying has been by international houses with credit in the European markets. The argument of the spinners is that, taking an average of several years, 10 cents is a low price for the staple, and it is of course a great advantage to be able to figure ahead on the cost of raw material. The spot men are able to make the contracts safely, because of the facilities offered by the exchanges here and abroad for hedging, profits coming from the difference between market contract prices and "basis." It is generally accepted that the large amount of buying of this character has lifted the weight of this year's enormous cotton surplus off the exchange markets and has had a material effect in stopping the decline.

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The Rail Orders.

It is estimated that the rail orders placed so far this year amount to something more than 275,000 tons, of which 40 per cent. represents the order of the New York Central. These orders are keeping the rail mills busy but unless orders come in in quantity in the next month or so this will not continue. For January and February last year the orders for rails amounted to about 650,000 tons and for the whole year to about 3,000,000 tons. Further orders ahead of the market as now known amount to enough to bring the January total, if they are closed in the next week, up to 450,000 tons.

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Chicago Elevated Rumors.

Chicago Elevated 5 per cent. notes have been an active feature on the Curb recently, and reports from Chicago yesterday explained the interest in this issue by the prospects of action in the scheme for merging this property with the Chicago surface lines. Such a merger would necessitate the calling of the elevated securities, Chicago reports have it, before an amalgamation could be effected. Aside from the belief in the prospect for an early redemption of these notes, Chicago market reports told yesterday of excellent earnings under the new management. One dispatch said that the earnings are at a rate to take care of the full preferred dividend and at the same time show a small percentage earned on the common stock.

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

Most activity on the Consolidated Stock Exchange developed when prices weakened, with the volume falling off on the rallies. There was much discussion regarding the probable dividend action to be taken by the St. Paul Directors. While the expectation generally continued to prevail that the rate would be reduced, it was noted that the stock exhibited firmness throughout the day in the face of the heaviness in the general list.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,400	Amal. Copper	64⅞	65	64½	64½
20	Am. Beet Sugar	57⅝	57⅝	57½	57½
60	Am. Can	12⅜	12½	12⅜	12½
10	Am. Can pf.	93⅞	93⅞	93¼	93¼
30	Am. Car & F.	52⅝	52⅝	51⅞	52¼
400	Am. Cotton Oil	48	49½	47⅞	49½
20	Am. Hide & L.	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼
40	Am. Ice	19	19	19	19
230	Am. Smelting	72⅛	72⅛	71⅝	71⅝
10	Anaconda Cop.	35½	35½	35½	35½
90	At., T. & S. F.	106⅛	106⅛	105⅞	106⅛
180	Balt. & Ohio	106	106	105	105
120	Brooklyn R. T.	78⅝	78⅝	78⅛	78⅛
100	Ches. & Ohio	73⅛	73⅛	72⅞	73
420	C., M. & St. P.	108⅜	108⅜	108	108¼
230	Consol. Gas	140	140	138⅞	139⅛
30	Dist. Securities	31	31	31	31
190	Erie	31¼	31⅝	31	31¼
10	Erie 1st pf.	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛
10	Gen. Electric	161⅛	161⅛	161⅛	161⅛
1,100	Great Nor. pf.	131⅜	131⅜	129⅞	130⅛
70	Inter.-Met.	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	18⅜
580	In.-M. pf., old	58⅛	58⅛	56⅞	57⅛
1,100	Lehigh Valley	165⅛	165⅛	163⅞	164⅛
20	Louis. & Nash.	152⅛	152⅛	152⅛	152⅛
350	Mo. Pacific	40⅛	40⅛	39⅞	40
10	Nat. Lead	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛
270	N. Y. Central	108	108	107⅞	108
320	No. Pacific	118⅛	118⅛	117⅛	117⅛
240	Pennsylvania	123⅞	124⅛	123⅞	124⅛
16,940	Reading	157⅛	157⅛	155⅞	156
10	Rep. Steel	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
1,300	Rock Island	24⅞	25⅛	24⅞	25⅛
100	Rock Island pf.	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛
290	So. Pacific	110⅛	110⅛	109⅞	110
150	So. Railway	28⅛	28⅛	28	28
10,660	Union Pacific	167⅛	167⅛	166⅛	167
12,190	U. S. Steel	66⅛	66⅛	65⅛	65⅞
50	U. S. Steel pf.	111	111	111	111
30	Utah Copper	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞
40	Va.-Car. Chem.	55⅛	55⅛	55⅛	55⅛
20	Wabash pf.	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
110	West. Union	84⅛	84⅛	83⅞	83⅞
140	West. El.	74	74⅛	74	74⅛
49,090					

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
200	El Paso	.76	.76	.76	.76
50	Goldfield Con.	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
500	Jim Butler	.36	.36½	.36	.36½
200	Mexican	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.25
1,000	Midway	.29	.29	.29	.29
300	Montana	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
200	Ophir	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40
100	Portland	.93	.93	.93	.93
800	Round Mount.	.56½	.56½	.56½	.56½
600	Sierra Nevada	.36	.36	.35	.35
500	Tonopah Ext.	1.40	1.42½	1.40	1.42½
550	West End	.81	.81	.80½	.80½
1,500	Work	.02½	.02½	.02½	.02½
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NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Tuesday. Bid.	Tuesday. Ask.
4½s, May, 1957, old	102⅝	102⅞	102⅝	102⅞
4½s, Nov., 1957, new	102⅝	102⅞	102⅝	102⅞
4½s, May, 1917, old	102⅛	102⅝	102⅛	102⅝
4½s, Nov., 1917, new	102⅛	102⅝	102⅛	102⅝
4½s, Mar., 1930-60, old	102⅛	102⅝	102⅛	102⅝
4½s, Sept., 1960, new	102⅝	102⅞	102⅝	102⅞
4s, May, 1959, l'chg	100	100⅛	99⅞	100⅛
4s, Nov., 1958, l'chg	100	100⅛	99⅞	100⅛
4s, May, 1957, l'chg	99⅞	100⅛	99⅞	100⅛
4s, Nov., 1955-6, reg	99⅞	100⅛	99⅞	100⅛
4s, May, 1919, l'chg	99⅛	100⅛	99⅛	100⅛
3½s, Nov., 1954, l'chg	87⅞	88	87⅞	88
3½s, May, 1954, coup	87⅞	88	87⅞	88
3½s, May, 1954, reg	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞
3½s, Nov., 1941, reg	88⅞	89⅞	88⅞	89⅞

STOCKS OUT OF TOWN

Trading Sluggish in Most Issues on the Principal Exchanges of Other Cities.

LOCAL ISSUES IRREGULAR

Coppers Move Narrowly in Boston—Local Stocks Irregular in Chicago and Philadelphia.

There was less activity in the bond market in Baltimore, while the stock demand slightly improved. United Railway incomes maintained their top figure, and easily held the lead as the most active issue. The common stock also sold well. Other securities of this company kept well to the fore. The prices were up and down in the movement, but the changes were fractional and inconsequential.

Concentration of business in eight issues, six of these being copper shares, made the Boston market seem dull. Greene-Cananea, Mayflower, Old Colony, Amalgamated, Chino, and Inspiration led the coppers, but prices were held within a narrow range. The new Inspiration Consolidated certificates were traded in moderately at 21¼. American Telephone, which sold under 140, and Steel common, in which selling at a fractional concession was said to be for arbitrage accounts, were most active among the industrials. During the afternoon the market suffered from a lack of trading, but prices were well maintained in the absence of offerings. Large blocks of East Boston Land were bought at 14, and Rutland preferred jumped to 70. Rhode Island Coal fell to 25 cents on the Curb.

Trading was well distributed in Chicago, but for most of the issues was in rather limited volume. Quaker Oats common, which has figured in a decided upward movement for several weeks, received a setback of 4 points from the last previous quotation, and there were losses of smaller degree also in the Carbon issues, Match, and Chicago Railways Series 2s. Booth Fisheries shares, on the other hand, moved upward, as did also Pneumatic Tool and a few others. Illinois Brick was fairly active at unchanged to fractionally higher prices.

The arbitrage group, particularly Reading and United States Steel, went far toward making up the bulk of the market in Philadelphia. Barring Philadelphia Electric, the general local list was sluggish. There was quite a little trading in Union Traction at going quotations, however. Electric Storage Battery was firm for a time, but eased off slightly in the afternoon, and United Gas Improvement acted in a similar manner. Tonopah Mining continued to be taken by those who believe that the company will exercise some of the various options it has obtained on outside mines. It was reported with more definiteness than heretofore that a lease of the Philadelphia Electric Company to the United Gas Improvement had been effected, but officials of both corporations continue to deny it.

Yesterday's transactions on the various out-of-town exchanges, as reported to THE NEW YORK TIMES, were as follows:

BALTIMORE.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
210	Baltimore Electric	44½	44½	44½
25	Con. Coal Co.	104	104	104
25	Con. G., E. L. & P. pf.	106¼	106¼	106¼
2	Farm. & Mer. Bank	50	50	50
30	Hous. Oil com. tr. ctfs.	9¼	9¼	9¼
300	Hous. Oil pf. ctfs.	70⅝	70⅝	70⅝
198	Hous. Oil pf. tr. ctfs.	54½	54	54½
10	Mercantile Trust	153	153	153
50	Merchants National	185	185	185
10	Nat. Union Bank	134¼	134¼	134¼
300	Penn. Water & Pow.	62⅝	62½	62⅝
100	Seaboard Co. 2d pf.	63	63	63
25	U. S. Steel	66¼	66¼	66¼
1,190	United Ry.	20	19½	20
100	Va. Ry. & P.	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$2,000	A. C. L. of S. C. 4s	96	96	96
5,000	A. C. L. con. deb. 4s	102	102	102
8,000	Anacostia & P. 5s	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
1,000	Balt. & A. S. L. 5s	70½	70½	70½
8,000	Balt. Elec. 5s stpd.	97	96	97
1,000	Con. Gas 5s	109¼	109¼	109¼
6,000	Con. Gas 4½s	98	98	98
7,000	C. G., E. L. & P. 4½s	89⅞	89⅞	89⅞
4,000	Car. Centl. 4s	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
27,000	Cotton Duck 5s	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
2,000	City & Sub. 5s	105½	105½	105½
11,000	Chi. Rys. 5s	100¼	100¼	100¼
32,000	Hous. Div. oblgtn.	85	85	85
1,000	Jam. C. & G. C. 5s	99¼	99¼	99¼
1,000	Md. Elec. 5s	99¼	99¼	99¼
5,000	Mil. Ref. 4½s	94¼	94¼	94¼
10,000	New O. Gt. Nor. 5s	77	76⅞	77
2,000	N. N. & O. P. C. 5s	97	97	97
5,000	New O., Mobile & C.	94⅝	94½	94⅝
19,000	Norf. Ports. Trac. 5s	90	89⅞	90
25,000	Penn. Wa. & Pow. 5s	92	92	92
18,000	S. A. L. 4s, stpd.	88⅞	88⅞	88⅞
58,000	United Ry. inc.	64⅛	64⅛	64⅛
1,900	United Ry. fdg. 5s	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞
18,000	United Rys.	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞
8,000	Un. Ry. 3-yr. 5s, notes	100	100	100

BOSTON.

RAILROADS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
50	Boston Elevated	133¾	133¾	133¾
21	Boston Suburban	13	13	13
42	Boston & Albany	221½	221	221½
—	Boston & Maine	100¼	100	100
10	Boston & Maine pf.	146¼	146¼	146¼
12	Fitchburg pf.	127¾	127¾	127¾
10	Mass. Electric	22½	22½	22½
210	Mass. Electric pf.	95½	95⅜	95½
299	Mass. Elec. pf., sta.	82	81½	82
28	Mass. Elec. pf. war.	80	79	80
5,881	Mass. El. pf. fr. war.	20c	19½c	19c
36	N. Y., N. H. & H.	139	139	139
10	Northern of N. H.	143	143	143
3	Old Colony	186	186	186
215	Rutland pf.	70	66	66
65	Union Pacific	166⅝	166⅝	166⅝
4	Vermont & Mass.	164	164	164
75	West End	87½	87½	87½
27	West End pf.	102	101½	101½

TELEPHONES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
2,448	American	140⅜	139½	140
92	Cumberland	160	160	160
56	New England	160	160	160

MISCELLANEOUS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
815	Am. Agr. Chem.	61⅝	61¼	61¼
155	Am. Agr. Chem. pf.	102¼	102¼	102¼
50	Amoskeag	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
71	Amoskeag pf.	100¼	100¼	100¼
1,200	Am. Pneumatic Serv.	4¼	4¼	4¼
3	Am. P. S. 1st pf.	49	49	49
165	Am. P. S. 2d pf.	16½	16	16
27	Am. Sugar	115¼	115¼	115¼
25	Am. Sugar pf.	116½	116	116
11	Am. Woolen pf.	88	88	88
8,020	East Boston Land	14⅛	13⅞	14⅛
6	Edison	297	297	297
55	General Electric	160⅛	159½	159½
8	Georgia Ry. & Elec.	174	174	174
96	Georgia Ry. & E. pf.	87	87	87
10	Mass. Gas	91¼	91¼	91¼
21	Mass. Gas pf.	96⅛	96	96⅛
10	McElwain Co. 1st pf.	106	106	106
10	Mergenthaler	221	221	221
83	Pullman	161	160½	161
48	Seattle Electric	111	111	111
101	Seattle Electric pf.	102	102	102
17	Swift	100¼	100¼	100¼
350	United Fruit	183	181½	182½
90	United Shoe Machy.	47	47	47
35	United Shoe M. pf.	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
4,703	U. S. Steel	66¼	65½	65⅞
133	U. S. Steel pf.	111⅛	110⅞	111
410	Wollaston Land	1½	1½	1⅝

MINING.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
45	Adventure	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
175	Algomah	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
885	Amalgamated	64⅝	64⅜	64⅝
87	Am. Zinc	26	25½	26
1	Anaconda	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝
102	Arizona Com'l ctfs.	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
60	Boston & Corbin	8¼	8¼	8¼
40	Butte Balaklala	3 15-16	3 15-16	3 15-16
250	Butte Coalition	22⅝	22½	22⅝
268	Calumet & Arizona	61½	61	61
2,060	Chino	27	26⅝	27
145	Copper Range	53½	53	53⅛
2,100	Crescent	5c	4c	5c
10	Daly-West	5¼	5¼	5¼
620	East Butte	13	12⅞	12⅞
1,250	Elm River	65c	60c	65c
235	Franklin	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝
910	Greene-Cananea	9	8¾	8 9-16
420	Hancock	34	34	34
5	Helvetia	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
1,200	Inspiration Cons.	11	10½	10⅝
50	Island Creek	41¼	41	41¼
50	Island Creek pf.	86⅛	85⅞	86⅛
10	Isle Royale	21½	21½	21½
100	Keweenaw	1¾	1 7-16	1 7-16
100	La Salle	5	5	5
520	Live Oak	42⅛	42	42⅛
10	Mason Valley	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
2,775	Mayflower	7⅝	7⅛	7⅛
25	Mohawk	55	54	55
95	Nevada Cons.	19⅛	19	19⅛
540	Nipissing	7	6 15-16	7
645	North Butte	25⅞	25⅛	25⅛
5	North Lake	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
3,559	Old Colony	6⅛	5⅞	6⅛
20	Old Dominion	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
75	Osceola	109	109	109
307	Ray Cons.	17⅝	17⅛	17⅛
100	Santa Fe	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
335	Shannon	10	9⅞	9⅞
50	St. Mary's Land	53	52	53
635	Superior & Boston	3 3-16	3 3-16	3 3-16
845	Trinity	6⅛	5⅞	6⅛
1,025	Tuolumne	3	3	3
300	Union Copper Land	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
20	U. S. Smelting	35	35	35
283	U. S. Smelting pf.	47⅛	47	47⅛
150	Utah Apex	2	2 1-16	2 1-16
230	Utah Cons.	16	15½	15½
300	Utah Copper	56	55⅝	55⅝
475	Victoria	5¼	5	5
50	Winona	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
35	Wyandotte	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$2,000	A. G. & W. I. S. S. 5s	68	68	68
22,000	Am. T. & T. 4s	90⅛	90⅛	89⅞
3,000	Mass. Gas 4½s	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞
2,000	United Fruit 4½s, 1923	96	96	96
5,500	Western T. & T. 5s	100	100	100

CHICAGO.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
175	American Can	12½	12⅛	12⅛
150	American Can pf.	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
68	Am. Shipbuilding pf.	103	103	103
50	Booth Fisheries	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
155	Booth Fisheries pf.	86	85½	86
25	Chicago El. Rys.	37¼	37¼	37¼
50	Chicago El. Rys. pf.	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
850	Chicago Pneu. Tool	49⅜	49⅜	49⅜
71	Chi. Rys., Series 2	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛
75	Com. Edison	139	138⅞	138⅞
27	Diamond Match	110	109½	109½
855	Illinois Brick	59⅛	59	59
15	National Biscuit	148	148	148
15	National Carbon	107	107	107
60	National Carbon pf.	118¼	118	118
25	People's Gas	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
16	Quaker Oats	231	231	231
18	Quaker Oats pf.	109¼	109¼	109¼
17	Sears-Roebuck pf.	123	123	123
65	Swift & Co.	100¼	100¼	100¼
15	United Boxboard	1½	1½	1½
225	U. S. Steel	66⅛	65⅝	65⅝
60	Hart S. & M. pf.	101	100½	101

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$5,000	Chi. Rys. adj. inc. 4s	59⅝	59⅝	59⅝
5,000	Chi. Rys. adj. inc. 4s	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞
5,000	Chicago El. Rys. 5s	98⅜	98⅜	98⅜
5,000	Chicago El. Rys. 5s	98⅞	98⅞	98⅞
5,000	Chicago El. Rys. 5s	99	99	99
1,000	Chicago City El. 5s	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞
2,000	Com. Edison 5s	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
2,000	Com. Electric 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
5,000	Consumers Gas 5s	102½	102½	102½

PHILADELPHIA.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
1,000	American Milling	1¼	1¼	1¼
24	American Railways	45½	45½	45½
42	Baldwin Loco. pf.	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
60	Cambria Steel	44⅛	44	44
90	Cons. Trac. N. J.	75⅜	75⅛	75⅜
50	Erie	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
988	Electric Storage Bat.	55⅝	55	55
10	General Asphalt	31	31	31
124	Insurance Co. N. A.	22	22	22
100	Inter.-Metropol. pf.	57⅛	57⅛	57⅛
50	Keystone Tel. t. c.	7½	7½	7½
116	Lake Superior Corp.	28	27⅞	27⅞
209	Lehigh Nav. t. c.	90	89⅞	90
194	Lehigh Valley	82 7-16	82	82
25	Lehigh Valley tr.	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
50	Lehigh Valley tr. pf.	24	24	24
5	Minehill	59½	59½	59½
50	Philadelphia R. T.	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
100	Phil. R. T. tr. ctfs.	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
44	Penn. Steel pf.	101	101	101
272	Penn. R. R.	62 3-16	61 15-16	61 15-16
110	Philadelphia Co.	51¼	51¼	51¼
9,626	Philadelphia Electric	18	17⅞	17⅞
200	Philadelphia Traction	84⅝	84⅜	84⅜
8,184	Reading	78 11-16	77 13-16	77 15-16
500	Rock Island	25¼	24⅞	25¼
1,770	Tonopah Belmont	8⅞	8 5-16	8 7-16
875	Tonopah Mining	7 5-16	7¼	7¼
5	13th and 15th Pass.	252	252	252
764	U. G. I.	87⅜	87¼	87⅜
18,360	U. S. Steel	66⅛	65⅝	65⅞
1,269	Union Traction	51⅜	51⅛	51⅛
5	Warwick I. & S.	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
25	Wash. & Va. Ry. pf.	68	68	68
1	Westmoreland Coal	75¼	75¼	75¼
20	York Railways pf.	28½	28½	28½

PITTSBURGH.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Crucible Steel	12½	12¼	12¼
140	Crucible Steel pf.	83⅞	83	83
10	Fireproofing	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
145	Fireproofing pf.	27⅛	27	27
25	Harb.-Walker Ref. pf.	100	100	100
250	Independent Brew. pf.	24⅝	24⅛	24⅛
745	Mfrs. L. & H.	28⅝	28⅜	28⅜
691	Ohio Fuel Oil	17⅝	17⅛	17⅝
20	Ohio Fuel Supply	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛
27	Oklahoma Gas	65⅛	65⅛	65⅛
180	Pitts. Brewing	10⅛	10	10⅛
20	Pitts. Brewing pf.	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞
210	Pitts. Coal pf.	81	80⅞	81
20	Pitts. Oil & Gas	6	6	6
10	Pitts. Plate Glass	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
123	Pure Oil	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
950	Tonopah Extension	1.50	1.47	1.47
850	U. S. Steel	66	65⅝	65⅞
15	W'house Air Brake	157⅛	157⅛	157⅛
805	W'house Electric	36⅞	36⅛	36⅞

BANK.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
50	Safe Dep. & Trust	290	290	290

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$2,000	Pitts. Coal deb. 5s	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
7,000	Pitts., B. & L. E. 5s	112⅛	112⅛	112⅛
10,000	River Coal 6s	115½	115½	115½

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Alta	.01	Julia	.25
Alpha Con.	.01	Justice	.05
Andes	.08	Kentucky Con.	.03
Belcher	.50	Mexican	4.40
Best & Belcher	.13	Occidental Con.	.50
Bullion	.06	Ophir	1.47½
Caledonia	1.45	Overman	1.12½
Challenge Con.	.13	Potosi	.08
Chollar	.16	Savage	.13
Confidence	.60	Sag Belcher	.24
Con. Cal. & Va.	.77	Sierra Nevada	.38
Con. Imperial	.03	Union Con.	1.32½
Crown Point	.48	Utah Con.	.09
Gould & Curry	.08	Yellow Jacket	.40
Hale & Norcross	.16		
TONOPAH.		Daisy	.11
Belmont	8.65	Diam. F. Blk. B.	.07
Jim Butler	.88	Goldfield Con. M.	4.45
McNamara	.26	Goldfield Merger	.24
Midway	.30	Great Bend	.04
Montana	1.02½	C. O. D.	.13
North Star	.30	Jumbo Ext.	.21
Rescue Eula	.21	Florence	.54
Tonopah Ext.	1.45	Lone Star	.04
West End	.82	Red Hills	.01
GOLDFIELD.		Sandstorm-Kend.	.03
Adams	.01	Vernal	.14
Atlanta	.16	Silver Pick	.06
Bluebell	.01	Nevada Hills	.22½
Comb. Fraction	.13	Manhattan Con.	.13
Booth	.06		

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Dr. Jackpot	6	6½	Jackpot	5⅝	6½
Elkton	64½	64⅝	McKinney	48½	51
El Paso	70	73	Old Gold	2⅞	3¼
Findlay	50	56	Portland	94	96
Gold Dollar	..	17½	Vindicator	65	70
Isabella	15¼	15⅝	Jen. Sample	6	7½

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call loaned on Stock Exchange collateral at 2@2¼ per cent., with the last loan at 2 per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 2⅛ per cent.

Time money rates, 2¼@2½ per cent. for thirty days, 2¼@2⅝ per cent. for sixty days, 2½@2¾ per cent. for ninety days, 2⅞@3 per cent. for four months, 3@3¼ per cent. for five and six months, and 3½@4 per cent. for one year.

Commercial paper was quoted at 3¾@4 per cent. for prime four to six months' maturities, with the ruling rate 4 per cent.

Private discount rate abroad: London, 3⅝ per cent., unchanged; Paris, 3¼ per cent., unchanged; Berlin, 3 per cent., unchanged.

New York Clearing House statement: Exchanges, $340,245,207; balances, $17,452,005; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $568,956.

The local banks have lost $1,013,000 on their Sub-Treasury operations since Friday.

Foreign exchange rates at the points noted were quoted as follows at the close of business yesterday:

CABLE AND SIGHT RATES.

London—Cable, $4.8770; demand, $4.8725.
Paris—Cable, 5.17½ minus 1-16; check, 5.18⅛.
Berlin—Cable, 95¼; check, 95 plus 1-32.
Switzerland—Cable, 5.10⅝ minus 1-32; check, 5.19⅜ plus 1-32.
Holland—Cable, 40.33; check, 40.29.
Belgium—Cable, 5.20 minus 1-32; check, 5.20⅝.

SIXTY AND NINETY DAY BILLS.

London—Bankers', sixty days, $4.8420; ninety days, $4.8280.
London—Commercial, sixty days, $4.83⅞; ninety days, $4.82½.
Paris—Bankers', sixty days, 5.21¼; ninety days, 5.22½ minus 1-16.
Paris—Commercial, sixty days, 5.21¼ minus 1-16; ninety days, 5.22⅝ minus 3-32.
Berlin—Commercial, sixty days, 94⅝ plus 1-32; ninety days, 5.22½ minus 3-32.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE RATES.

Boston, par; Chicago, 35c premium; St. Louis, 30c premium; St. Paul, 90c premium, San Francisco, 75c premium; Montreal, 46⅞c premium.

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver was quoted 1-16d higher in London, at 26⅝d per ounce, and ⅛c higher in New York, at 57⅝c. Mexican dollars were quoted at 47c.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

		—Maturity.—		Bid.	Ask.	Yield.
Amal. Copper	5	Apr.	1,'13	100⅝	100⅞	4.20
Balt. & Ohio	4½	June	1,'13	100⅜	100⅝	4.00
Beth. Steel Co.	6	Nov.	1,'14	101⅛	101⅝	4.35
Ches. & Ohio	4½	June	1,'14	99⅝	99⅞	4.69
C., H. & D. pur. money	4	July	1,'13	99⅝	99⅞	4.17
Chi. & Alton	5	Mar.	15,'13	99		
Chi. El. Rys.	5	July	1,'14	98⅝	99	5.46
Erie	6	Apr.	8,'14	101½	101⅞	5.16
Erie	5	Oct.	1,'14	100	100½	5.00
Gen. Motors	6	Oct.	1,'15	98⅝	99	6.28
Gen. Rubber	4½	July	1,'15	97⅝	98	5.23
Hudson Co.	6	Feb.	1,'13	99⅞	100	6.00
Int. & Gt. N.	5	Aug.	1,'14	97⅝	97⅞	5.18
Int. Harv. Co.	5	Feb.	15,'15	100	100⅜	4.59
Int. Rapid T.	4½		1912	100	100⅛	
Lack Steel Co.	5	Mar.	1,'15	91⅝	92	7.75
Minn. & St. L.	5	Feb.	1,'13	96⅛	97	8.00
Mo., K. & T.	5	May	1,'13	99⅝	100	5.00
Mo. Pacific	5	June	1,'14	96⅝	96⅞	6.60
N. Rys. of M.	4½	June	1,'13	99	99⅛	5.40
N. Y. Central	4½	Mar.	1,'13	100⅛	100⅜	4.24
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.	5		1912	100	100⅛	
Oakland Rys.	6	Sep.	1,'15	100⅜	101	5.66
Pac. T. & T.	5	Jan.	1,'13	100⅞	101	3.87
St. L. & S. F.	5	Mar.	1,'13	99⅝	100⅛	4.88
St. L. & S. F.	4½	June	1,'13	99	99⅜	5.19
Southern Ry.	5	Feb.	1,'13			
Tidewater Co.	6	June	1,'13	101¾	101⅞	4.54
U. S. Rubber	6	Dec.	1,'13	104	104¼	5.16
U. S. Smelt., Ref. & Min.	5	Aug.	1,'14	99⅞	100	5.00
Westinghouse	5	Aug.	1,'13	101½	101⅞	4.76

BOURSES OF EUROPE

London Market Cheerful and Foreign Securities and Consols Are Strong.

PRICES RECOVER IN BERLIN

Firm in Paris—Money Tight in London—Discount Rates Decline Despite Heavy Gold Exports.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Thursday, Jan. 25.—The Times says in its City article to-day:

"There was a strong demand for money yesterday and a large amount was borrowed from the Bank of England, which also took a considerable amount of short bills. The rate for day-to-day advances was raised slightly.

"Discount quotations, after being rather easier, became firm in the afternoon on the unexpected news that a large amount of sovereigns was being taken from the bank for shipment to India, besides a smaller total for Egypt. A further withdrawal for India is believed to be probable to-day.

"The Paris cheque rose ½.

"The buoyancy of home rails was the chief incident in the stock markets. American shares closed dull, Union Pacific falling 1⅜, the stock being freely sold from New York for no ascertainable reason."

Much French Investment Money.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—An unfavorable impression that is likely further to retard the placing here of American Telephone and Telegraph Company stock, of which a great deal still remains in the hands of the Paris bankers, who took it outright when it was listed on the Bourse last year, has been caused by cablegrams reporting the United States Government's decision to move for the company's dissolution under the Sherman law.

An instance of the abundance of money for investment purposes in France was afforded this week by the fact that the new Crédit Foncier loan of $100,000,000 was covered nineteen times. This caused an exceptional influx of gold to the Paris banks, and the Bourse hoped for a notable increase in the volume of business. These expectations were disappointed, owing to the Government's issue of 200,000,000f. ($40,000,000,) of Treasury notes at the unusual rate of 3 per cent. for a month. These were taken within three hours.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Money was tight to-day. Discount rates declined despite the heavy exports of gold.

The stock market was generally cheerful, with marked strength in home rails on the increased dividend of the London, Brighton & South Coast Railway Company. The improved foreign political situation cheered foreign securities and Kaffirs, and in the afternoon consols gained three-sixteenths despite the expectation of an issue of £1,500,000 Indian Railway debentures.

American securities opened steady and about unchanged. The early trading was quiet and price changes were irregular. Light realizing caused a general decline in the early afternoon, but New York buying rallied the market in the late trading, and the closing was steady.

Money, 3½@3¾ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3¾@3 13-16 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 3⅝@3 11-16 per cent.

Gold premium at Madrid, 7.95; at Lisbon, 9.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—Prices were firm on the Bourse to-day.

Three per cent. rentes, 95f. 85c. for the account.

Exchange on London, 25f. 25½c. for checks.

Private discount rate, 3¼ per cent.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—The Boerse opened weak to-day. Prices recovered later and closed steady.

Exchange on London, 20 marks 51 pfennigs for checks.

Money, 1½@2 per cent.

Private discount rate, 3 per cent.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES.

	London.	N. Y. Equiv.	N. Y. Close.	Net Ch'ge.
Consols, money	77⅛	..	..	+1-16
Consols, account	77 7-16	..	..	+1-16
Anaconda	7⅛	35⅝	35⅝	+ ⅛
Atchison	108⅞	106	106⅛	— ½
Canadian Pac.	237⅜	231	231⅜	— ⅜
St. Paul	111	108	108⅛	— ¾
Erie	32⅛	31⅛	31⅛	
Erie 1st pf.	53	51⅝	51⅛	— ¼
Illinois Central	144⅛	141	141⅛	— ½
Louis. & Nash.	161	157⅛	153⅝ex	+ ⅝
N. Y. Central	111	108	108	
Pennsylvania	63⅛	123⅞	124¼	— ½
Reading	81⅛	158⅞	157ex	+ ⅜
Southern Pac.	113⅝	110⅝	110⅛	— ½
Union Pacific	171⅛	166⅜	167⅛	— ⅝
U. S. Steel	67⅝	66¼	66⅛	
U. S. Steel pf.	114	111	111⅛	— ¼

Exchange, $4.87.

FOREIGN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
German Government 3½s	91⅛	92¼
German Government 3s	82	83⅛
Prussian consols 4s	101⅜	102⅜
Bavarian Government 4s	100⅜	101⅜
Saxony Government 3s	81⅛	83
Hamburg Government 3s	81⅛	82⅛
City of Berlin 4s	100⅛	101⅛
City of Cologne 4s	99⅜	100⅛
City of Munich 4s	99⅜	100⅛
City of Frankfurt 3½s	93	94⅛
City of Vienna 4s	92⅛	93⅛
Mexican Government 5s	98⅞	99⅞
Russian Government 4s	93⅛	94¼

American Mining Stocks in London.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Camp Bird	1	12	9	Esperanza	2	12	6
Tomboy	1	2	6	Dolores	1	10	0
El Oro	0	16	9	Stratton's Ind.	0	3	1½

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

	1911.	1910.	Increase.
ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM & ATLANTIC—			
2d week Jan.	$44,633	$53,766	*$9,133
July 1-Jan. 14	1,772,929	1,530,274	242,655
BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURGH—			
3d week Jan.	192,119	176,608	15,511
July 1-Jan. 21	6,202,312	6,480,669	*278,357
GEORGIA SOUTHERN & FLORIDA—			
2d week Jan.	38,812	45,101	*6,289
July 1-Jan. 14	1,332,340	1,321,204	11,136
SOUTHERN RAILWAY for December—			
Miles road oper.	7,088.65	7,038.64	50.01
Oper. rev.	$5,607,472	$5,441,585	$165,886
Oper. expenses	3,600,447	3,540,895	59,552
Net oper. rev.	2,007,024	1,900,690	106,333
Outside operations—			
Net rev.	8,944	1,953	6,991
Total net rev.	2,015,969	1,902,643	113,325
Taxes	234,774	201,208	33,566
Oper. income	1,781,194	1,701,435	79,758
Per cent. oper. exps. (including taxes) to oper. rev.	68.40	68.78	*0.38
Six months ended Dec. 31, 1911 and 1910:			
Miles road oper.	7,086.62	7,045.26	41.36
Oper. rev.	32,347,236	31,142,720	1,204,516
Oper. expenses	21,379,956	20,564,379	815,577
Net oper. rev.	10,967,280	10,578,341	388,938
Outside operations—			
Net rev.	38,676	9,501	29,175
Total net rev.	11,005,957	10,587,842	418,114
Taxes	1,218,652	1,086,201	132,450
Oper. income	9,787,304	9,501,640	285,663
Per cent oper. exps. (including taxes) to oper. rev.	69.66	69.52	0.34

*Decrease.

WESTERN MARYLAND for November—

	1911.	1910.	1909.
Gross	$570,628	$567,451	$569,809
Exps. & taxes	388,851	383,256	356,825
Net	181,777	184,156	212,984
Other income	36,981	31,427	52,062
Total income	218,758	215,583	265,047
Five mos. gross	3,095,308	3,222,671	2,910,552
Exps. & taxes	2,042,543	2,041,746	1,815,134
Five mos. net	1,052,764	1,180,925	1,095,478
Other income	176,752	105,485	221,507
Total income	1,229,516	1,286,410	1,316,925

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Total sales Jan. 24, 1912 369,406
From Jan. 1, 1912 7,825,358
Same period last year 8,553,982

Closing. Bid.	Closing. Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Change.
1	1⅛	300	Allis-Chalmers	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	+⅛
64¼	64½	6,000	Amalgamated Copper	64⅝	64⅝	64⅛	64⅜	−⅜
57⅛	57½	800	Am. Beet Sugar	57⅝	57⅝	57½	57½	−¼
12¼	12½	1,150	Am. Can	12⅝	12⅝	12⅜	12½	−⅛
92½	92⅞	1,000	Am. Can pf.	93½	93½	93	93	−½
52	52½	400	Am. Car & Foundry	52⅝	52⅝	52	52	−1⅛
115¾	116½	100	Am. Car & Fdy. pf.	115⅞	115⅞	115⅞	115⅞	...
49	49¼	1,300	Am. Cotton Oil	48¼	49¼	48	49¼	+¾
20¼	22½	100	Am. Hide & Leath. pf.	21½	21½	21½	21½	+¾
18¾	19½	200	Am. Ice Securities	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	+½
103	104	100	Am. Locomotive pf.	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜	+⅝
6⅜	6⅝	100	Am. Malt	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼	−¼
46½	47	100	Am. Malt pf.	46	46	46	46	...
71¼	71⅝	1,500	Am. Smelt. & Ref.	72¼	72¼	71⅝	71⅝	−⅝
103⅞	104½	130	Am. Smelt. & Ref. pf.	104½	104½	104½	104½	+1
108	109	300	Am. Snuff pf.	108⅜	108⅜	108⅛	108½	−½
30½	31	300	Am. Steel Foundries	31	31	31	31	+1
115	115½	100	Am. Sugar Refining	115¼	115¼	115¼	115¼	...
116	117	100	Am. Sugar Ref. pf.	116¼	116¼	116¼	116¼	+¼
139⅞	140	2,260	Am. Tel. & Tel.	140½	140½	139⅜	139⅞	−⅜
107⅛	107⅝	400	Am. Tobacco pf.	107½	107½	107	107⅛	−⅜
105	105½	600	Am. Tobacco pf. new	105⅝	105⅝	105	105	−½
107⅛	107⅝	100	Am. Tobacco pf. t. r.	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛	−⅞
87	88½	200	Am. Woolen pf.	88½	88½	88½	88½	−⅜
35⅜	35½	600	Anaconda Copper Co	35½	35½	35¼	35⅜	...
106⅜	106½	5,300	Atch., Top. & S. F.	106	106⅜	106	106⅜	+⅛
103⅛	104⅜	100	Atch., Top. & S. F. pf.	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛	+⅜
136	137	500	Atlantic Coast Line	136⅛	136⅛	136	136	−1
105	105⅛	2,200	Baltimore & Ohio	105⅝	105⅝	104⅞	105	−½
..	..	5	Bank of Commerce	198	198	198	198	...
31¾	32	100	Bethlehem Steel	32	32	32	32	−¼
60⅞	61¼	100	Bethlehem Steel pf.	61	61	61	61	−½
78⅜	78½	2,100	Brooklyn Rapid Tran.	79	79	78⅛	78⅜	−⅜
231⅛	231⅜	500	Canadian Pacific	231⅝	231⅝	231⅛	231⅜	...
..	..	300	Can. Pacific Rights	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	...
330	345	300	Central R. R. of N. J.	338	338	330	330	−8
73¼	73¾	1,400	Chesapeake & Ohio	73	73½	73	73¼	...
17¾	18¼	100	Chicago Gt. Western	18	18	18	18	...
36	36½	100	Chi. Gt. Western pf.	36½	36½	36½	36½	...
108⅜	108½	3,400	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	108⅜	108½	108⅛	108⅜	+⅛
144½	146	200	Chi., Mil. & St. P. pf.	145⅛	145⅛	145⅛	145⅛	+1⅛
1	2	100	Chi. Un. Tr. t. r. sta.	1½	1½	1½	1½	−½
26¾	26⅞	4,200	Chino Copper	26⅝	27	26⅝	27	+¼
..	..	600	Comstock Tunnel	*13	13	13	13	−2
139	140	2,600	Consolidated Gas	140	140	138¾	139	−1
10⅞	11¼	100	Corn Products Ref.	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	...
78¼	78½	200	Corn Products Ref. pf.	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝	−1⅛
538	545	100	Del., Lack. & West.	545	545	545	545	...
46	46¼	100	Den. & Rio Grande pf.	46¼	46¼	46¼	46¼	+¼
31¾	32	1,825	Distillers' Securities	30¾	31⅞	30⅝	31⅞	+1⅛
31¼	31⅜	2,500	Erie	31¼	31⅜	31	31⅜	+⅛
51½	51¾	600	Erie 1st pf.	51⅝	51⅝	51¼	51½	−⅛
41⅜	41½	600	Erie 2d pf.	41⅜	41⅜	41¼	41¼	−⅜
159¼	159¾	3,600	General Electric	160	160⅞	159¼	160	+1½
4⅜	4½	1,200	Goldfield Consol.	4½	4½	4½	4½	...
130	130¼	7,900	Great Northern pf.	131¼	131½	129⅝	130⅛	−1⅝
41½	41¾	200	Gt. N. certs. ore prop.	41½	41½	41½	41½	−¼
88	90	15	Homestake Mining	89	89	89	89	...
140½	141⅛	200	Illinois Central	141	141	141	141	−⅛
18½	18¾	3,200	Inter.-Met. v. tr. cfs.	18⅞	18⅞	18¼	18⅜	−⅝
57⅛	57⅜	8,600	Inter.-Met. pf.	58	58	56⅝	57¼	−½
55¾	56½	600	Int.-Met. pf. v. tr. cfs.	56¼	56¼	55⅝	55⅝	−1⅜
107⅛	108	500	Int. Harvester	107½	107⅞	107½	107½	−½
42	50	100	Keokuk & Des M. pf.	45	45	45	45	+8
30	30½	100	Lackawanna Steel	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼	...
106¾	107¼	500	Laclede Gas	107¼	107¼	106⅜	107	−⅛
11	13	100	Lake Erie & Western	12	12	12	12	...
164¾	164⅞	11,450	Lehigh Valley	165½	165½	164	164⅞	−⅜
172	178	200	Liggett & Myers	176½	176½	175	175	−3
112	112½	300	Liggett & Myers pf.	112	112	112	112	−¼
152	152⅝	300	Louisville & Nash.	152⅞	152⅞	152¼	152¼	−1⅛
76	77	400	Mackay Cos.	76	76	75¾	75¾	−1¼
70	70¼	38	Mackay Cos. pf.	70½	70½	70½	70½	...
135¾	137	300	Manhattan Elevated	136	136	135⅝	135⅝	−¼
21½	22	200	Mercantile Marine pf.	21	21⅛	21	21⅛	−½
23⅞	24¼	800	Miami Copper	24¼	24¼	24	24	−½
28½	29	800	Mo., Kansas & Texas	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	...
39⅞	40⅜	1,500	Missouri Pacific	40½	40½	39⅞	39⅞	−⅞
..	..	30	Nat. City Bank	425	425	422⅝	422⅝	...
53½	54	300	Nat. Lead Co.	53⅜	53¾	53½	53⅜	−⅜
106¼	109	100	Nat. Lead Co. pf.	107½	107½	107½	107½	+½
35½	35⅝	700	N. Rys. of Mex. 2d pf.	35½	35⅝	35⅜	35½	−⅜
19	19⅛	700	Nevada Con. Copper	19⅛	19⅛	19	19	−¼
107⅞	108⅛	1,510	N. Y. Central	108⅛	108¼	107⅝	108	...
56	59	100	N. Y., Chi. & St. L.	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝	+2⅝
138¾	139	37	N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	138¾	139	138¾	139	...
38⅛	38½	200	N. Y., Ont. & West.	38	38⅛	38	38⅛	...
51½	52½	500	Norfolk & Southern	52½	52½	52½	52½	...
109⅛	109⅜	100	Norfolk & Western	109⅛	109⅛	109⅛	109⅛	+⅜
77⅞	78	1,300	North American	77½	78¼	77	77⅞	+⅝
117⅝	117¾	6,400	Northern Pacific	118¾	118¾	117½	117⅝	−⅞
48¾	49½	200	Pacific Tel. & Tel.	49⅛	49⅛	49	49	−½
123⅞	124⅛	4,120	Pennsylvania R. R.	124¼	124¼	123⅞	124	−¼
105	106	300	People's Gas, Chicago	105½	105½	105⅛	105⅛	−⅝
179	181	200	P. Lorillard	178½	179½	178½	179½	−1
113	113½	400	P. Lorillard pf.	112⅞	113⅛	112⅞	113	+⅛
80½	81½	300	Pittsburgh Coal pf.	80⅜	80⅜	80⅜	80⅜	...
102⅜	103	100	Pittsburgh Steel pf.	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾	+1¼
32½	33	150	Pressed Steel Car	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾	−¼
106	111	100	Pub. Serv. Corp. N. J.	108	108	108	108	−¼
159½	161	250	Pullman Co.	161	161	160	160	−1
17½	17⅝	1,800	Ray Consol. Copper	17¾	17¾	17⅝	17⅝	−¼
156	156⅛	106,700	Reading	157¼	157½	155½	156⅛	−⅞
96	97¼	100	Reading 2d pf.	97	97	97	97	−1⅛
25½	27	100	Rep. Iron & Steel	25½	25½	25½	25½	−¾
25	25⅛	10,400	Rock Island Co.	24½	25⅜	24½	25	−½
51½	51¾	6,300	Rock Island Co. pf.	51¼	52⅜	51¼	51½	+½
25½	27	200	St. Louis & San Fran.	25	25	25	25	−1¾
40	41	100	Sloss-Shef. Steel & I.	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	−2⅞
110	110¼	1,100	Southern Pacific	110¼	110¼	109⅞	110	−½
28⅛	28¼	800	Southern R'way ext.	28⅛	28¼	28⅛	28¼	−⅛
69⅝	70½	100	South. R'way pf. ext.	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝	−1⅜
37¼	37¾	100	Tennessee Copper	37¼	37¼	37¼	37¼	−¼
83	85¼	100	Texas Co.	85¼	85¼	85¼	85¼	−¼
22¼	22¾	300	Texas & Pacific	22⅛	22½	22⅛	22½	+⅜
46¾	47	800	Third Av. w. i.	47¼	47⅜	47	47¼	+⅝
13⅜	13⅞	200	Toledo, St. L. & W.	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	−⅜
34½	35	200	Tol., St. L. & W. pf.	34½	34¾	34½	34¾	−⅛
104½	105½	200	Twin City Rap. Tran.	105	105	105	105	+½
51½	52	100	Union Bag & Pap. pf.	52	52	52	52	+½
166⅞	167	41,600	Union Pacific	167⅜	167⅜	166½	166⅞	−¼
105⅝	106¼	100	United Dry Goods pf.	106	106	106	106	+½
83	84½	415	United Rys. Invest.	83	83½	83	83½	+½
59½	60½	800	United Rys. Invest. pf.	59½	60	59½	60	+1
45	52	110	U. S. Cast Iron P. pf.	50	50	50	50	+8½
30	31	1,100	U. S. Ind. Alcohol	27	30	27	30	+1½
98¼	..	100	U. S. Ind. Alcohol pf.	97½	97½	97½	97½	...
46¾	47	100	U. S. Rubber	47	47	47	47	...
65⅞	66	76,300	U. S. Steel	66⅛	66⅜	65½	66	−⅛
111	111⅜	941	U. S. Steel pf.	111	111¼	111	111⅛	...
56	56¼	8,450	Utah Copper	56	56	55¼	55⅞	...
55½	55¾	200	Va.-Carolina Chem.	55¼	55¼	55¼	55¼	−¼
68	70	100	Va. Iron, Coal & Coke	70	70	70	70	...
7	7⅛	500	Wabash	7	7	7	7	...
18	18½	100	Wabash pf.	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	−⅜
57½	57⅞	200	Western Maryland	57⅝	57⅝	57½	57½	−⅜
83	83½	2,200	Western Union Tel.	84	84⅛	83	83½	−⅜
73	73½	1,100	Westinghouse E. & M.	73½	74¼	73½	74	+½
5	5⅛	200	Wheel. & Lake Erie	5	5	5	5	−⅛
16⅜	16⅞	100	Wheel. & L. E. 1st pf.	16½	16½	16½	16½	...
7⅜	7⅞	200	Wheel. & L. E. 2d pf.	7½	7⅝	7½	7⅝	+¼
52	54	100	Wisconsin Central	53	53	53	53	+1

*Cents per share.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE.

Total sales Jan. 24, 1912 .... $5,963,500
From Jan. 1, 1912 90,120,500
Same period last year 73,265,500

U S 4s, reg
10,000 .... 113¼
Panama 3s
10,000 .... 101⅝
Argentine Gov 5s
2,000 .... 97¼
Jap Gov 4½s, s l
10,000 .... 98½
U S of Mexico 5s
1,000 97
U S of Mexico 4s
1,000 .... 90⅝
N Y Canal 4s, 1961
10,000 .... 102⅝
new
45,000 .... 102⅞
N Y City 4s, 1957
3,000 .... 100⅛
1958
22,000 .... 100⅛
1959
1,000 100
500 .... 100½
500 .... 100⅛
N Y City 4¼s
9,000 .... 102⅝
1,000 .... 102¾
4½s, 1957
1,000 .... 107⅝
Adams Express 4s
1,000 88
Alb & Susq 3½s
15,000 .... 92½
1,000 .... 92¼
Am Smelt Secur 6s
33,000 .... 108⅜
32,000 .... 103⅞
Am T & T col 4s
10,000 .... 90⅜
3,000 .... 90⅞
conv 4s
10,000 .... 110¼
15,000 .... 110⅛
Am Thread 4s
5,000 .... 92⅝
Am Tobacco 6s
45,000 .... 120⅞
21,000 121
55,000 .... 121¼
5,000 .... 121¼
13,000 .... 121⅛
registered
3,000 .... 120⅞
Am Tobacco 4s
52,000 .... 94½
55,000 .... 94⅝
54,000 95
Tr Co ctfs of dep
100,000 95
Am Writ Paper 5s
1,000 89
Ann Arbor 1st 4s
1,000 .... 81¼
11,000 .... 81¼
8,000 .... 81⅜
5,000 82
Armour & Co 4½s
4,000 92
A, T & S F gen 4s
3,000 .... 99⅝
500 99
1,000 .... 99⅝
2,000 .... 99¼
15,000 .... 99⅝
conv 4s, 1960
111,000 .... 101⅝
12,000 .... 101½
10,000 .... 101⅝
convertible 5s
1,000 .... 108¼
Trans St L 4s
1,000 93
Atl Coast Line 4s
5,000 .... 95¼
4,000 .... 95⅝
Balt & O gold 4s
5,000 .... 98⅝
prior lien 3½s
1,000 .... 92⅝
Peo, Lake Erie & West Va 4s
10,000 .... 91½
S W Div 3½s
1,000 .... 91¼
Bethlehem Steel 5s
7,000 .... 95¼
1,000 95
10,000 .... 95¼
4,000 95
1,000 .... 95⅝

Bdway & 7th Av 1st con 5s
2,000 .... 103¾
B R T ref conv 4s
5,000 .... 85⅞
15,000 .... 85⅝
Bush Terminal 4s
2,000 92
Bush Terminal 5s
8,000 98
Cal Gas & Elec 5s
7,000 95
5,000 .... 95⅛
37,000 95
Canada Southn 1st
3,000 .... 101¾
C of Ga Ry con 5s
25,000 .... 109⅜
Cent Leather 5s
1,000 .... 95¼
1,000 95
1,000 .... 95¼
Central N E 4s
5,000 .... 93½
Cent Pac gtd 4s
3,000 .... 96⅞
Cent Vermont 4s
14,000 .... 90⅛
Ches & O conv 4½s
5,000 .... 93⅝
3,000 .... 93½
C, B & Q gen 4s
3,000 .... 96⅞
2,000 97
5,000 .... 96⅞
deb 5s
6,000 101
joint 4s
1,000 98
17,000 .... 97⅞
2,000 98
128,000 .... 97⅞
Chi Gt Westn 4s
1,000 .... 82⅞
4,000 .... 82½
5,000 .... 82⅝
11,000s20f 82⅝
4,000 .... 82⅞
15,000 83
Chi, Mil & St P, C & P Wn 5s
2,000 .... 106⅝
Chi & N W con 7s
2,000s6f 107¾
general 4s
7,000 .... 98¼
C, R I & P gen 4s
7,000 .... 96⅛
Chi, Rock Isl & P Ry ref 4s
2,000 .... 90¼
9,000 .... 90½
3,000s10f 90¼
1,000 .... 90⅛
1,000 .... 90¼
5,000 .... 90⅜
5,000 .... 90½
C, R I & P R R 4s
47,000 72
11,000 .... 72⅛
6,000 72
42,000 .... 72¼
25,000 .... 72¼
10,000 .... 72¼
5,000 .... 72⅝
10,000 .... 72¼
10,000 .... 72⅜
35,000 .... 72¼
28,000 .... 72½
17,000 72
17,000 .... 72⅛
Chino Copper 6s
15,000 .... 121⅝
7,000 122
C, C, C & St L, St L Div 4s
3,000 93
Col & Southn ref & ext 4½s
3,000 .... 97⅛
Consol Tobacco 4s
5,000 .... 94½
5,000 .... 94⅝
Cub-A Sug col tr 6s
1,000 .... 96¼
Del & Hud 1st & refunding 4s
7,000 99
convertible 4s
5,000 .... 98⅝

Den & R G imp 5s
15,000 .... 97½
1st & ref 5s
30,000 .... 88⅝
23,000 .... 88¾
19,000 .... 88⅞
10,000 89
Det Riv Tun 4½s
5,000 .... 100⅜
Det Un R con 4½s
11,000 .... 79¼
Dist Sec Corp 5s
9,000 76
Du Pont de Nem Powder 4½s
5,000 .... 85¼
Erie 1st general 4s
21,000 .... 78⅜
conv 4s, Ser B
1,000 .... 76⅝
51,000 .... 76¼
Fla E C R 1st 4½s
25,000 .... 97½
25,000 .... 97¾
30,000 98
5,000 .... 97¾
25,000 98
Gen Motors 6s
4,000 99
Ill Cent ref 4s
4,000 .... 96½
Inter-Met 4½s
20,000 .... 83⅜
50,000 .... 83½
50,000 .... 83⅝
58,000 .... 83⅝
1,000 .... 83⅝
73,000 .... 83⅝
53,000 .... 83½
2,000 .... 83⅝
85,000 .... 83½
3,000 .... 83⅝
1,000 .... 83½
8,000 .... 83⅝
7,000 .... 83¾
5,000 .... 83⅝
2,000 .... 83½
30,000 .... 83⅝
Int Rapid Tran 5s
227,000 105
Int & Gt Nor 6s
1,000 108
Internatnl Nav 5s
4,000 80
Int Paper conv 5s
9,000 .... 89½
Int Stm Pump 5s
10,000 .... 92⅞
3,000 .... 93½
Iowa Cent ref 4s
1,000 .... 66¼
K C, Ft S & M 6s
1,000 .... 117⅝
K C, Ft S & M 4s
5,000 .... 80⅝
Kan City Southn 5s
11,000 .... 100½
L S & M So 3½s
5,000 89
4s, 1928
10,000 .... 93⅝
1931
22,000 .... 93⅝
Liggett & Myers 7s, temp bonds
26,000 122
14,000 .... 122¼
10,000 122
27,000 .... 122¼
5s, temp bonds
5,000 .... 92⅞
71,000 93
17,000 .... 93⅛
2,000 93
14,000 .... 93⅛
42,000 .... 93¼
17,000 .... 93⅛
10,000 .... 93¼
1,000 .... 93⅜
1,000 .... 93¼
11,000 .... 93⅜
3,000 .... 93⅛
5,000 .... 93½
9,000 .... 93⅜
20,000 .... 93¼
21,000 .... 93⅞
10,000 .... 93⅜
5,000 .... 93⅝
51,000 .... 93⅝
43,000 .... 93⅞
6,000 94

Lou & N unifd 4s
6,000 .... 99⅝
A, K & Cin 4s
5,000 93
Manhattan con 4s
5,000 .... 96⅜
Mer Mar col tr 4½s
5,000 .... 67⅝
6,000 .... 67½
Met St Ry gen 5s, Trust Co ctfs
28,000 .... 108¼
adj mtg inc 5s, when issued
14,000 .... 58⅞
50,000 59
20,000 .... 58⅞
12,000 .... 58¾
10,000 .... 58⅞
76,000 59
125,000 .... 59¼
15,000 .... 59⅜
1,000 .... 59¼
40,000 .... 59⅛
10,000 59
30,000 .... 58⅞
115,000 .... 58⅞
15,000 .... 58⅞
5,000 59
21,000 .... 58⅞
25,000 59
10,000 .... 58⅞
55,000 59
5,000 .... 59⅛
Met St Ry ref 4s, Tr Co ctfs sta
50,000 .... 61¼
100,000 .... 61½
100,000 .... 61⅜
60,000 .... 61⅜
141,000 .... 61½
Met St Ry ref 4s, when issued
80,000 81
46,000 .... 81¼
113,000 .... 81¼
25,000 .... 81⅜
46,000 .... 81½
11,000 .... 81⅜
35,000 .... 81¼
35,000 .... 81⅜
10,000 .... 81⅛
Mich Cent deb 4s
1,000 .... 90½
Mo, Kan & T 1st & ref 4s
6,000 .... 80⅛
Mo Pac 5s, 1917
5,000 100
Mo Pac conv 5s
30,000 .... 89⅝
5,000 .... 89½
2,000 .... 89¼
Mo Pacific 4s
10,000 .... 78¼
Nassau Elec R R 4s
1,000 81
Nat En & Stpg 5s
1,000 .... 93⅝
N Y Cent gen 3½s
3,000 88
registered
1,000 87
L S col 3½s
9,000 .... 84⅝
38,000 .... 84⅝
N Y, C & St L 1st 4s
5,000 .... 99⅝
N Y, C & St L deb 4s
1,000 90
N Y G, E L, H & P col tr 5s
5,000 .... 108¼
7,000 .... 108¼
pur money 4s
4,000 .... 88¼
10,000 .... 88⅜
1,000 89
N Y, L & W 1st 6s
2,000 .... 114¼
N Y, N H & H non-conv 3½s, 1947
2,000 82
N Y Tel 4½s
5,000 .... 100¼
500 .... 100⅜
Norf & Wn con 4s
1,000 .... 98⅝

Norf & W cv 4s
1,000 .... 108⅜
Norf & W divisnl 1st 4s
9,000 .... 93¼
Pocah C & C 4s
10,000 .... 93¼
1,000 93
North Pac 4s
5,000 .... 100⅜
1,000 .... 100¼
1,000 .... 100½
500 .... 100⅜
500 .... 100⅜
500 .... 100⅝
Nor Pac gen 3s
6,000 70
Ore R & N con 4s
1,000 .... 95¾
4,000 96
Ore S L 1st con 5s
5,000 .... 111¾
Ore S L gtd refg 4s
1,000 .... 94½
Ore-Wash R R & Nav 1st & ref 4s
1,000 .... 92¼
Oz & Cher Cent 5s
7,000 .... 99¾
Pac Tel & T 5s
9,000 100
Penn cv 3½s, 1912
13,000 .... 99⅝
3,000 .... 99⅞
1915
11,000 .... 97⅝
Penn 4s, 1948
1,000 .... 102⅝
Penn 4s, 1948
2,000 108
Penn gtd 4½s
1,000 .... 103¼
Penn R R 1st real estate 4s
3,000 102
Pitts, C, C & St L gtd 3½s
2,000 .... 93½
P. Lor Co 7s, temp bonds
53,000 123
4,000 .... 123½
P. Lor Co 5s, temp bonds
55,000 94
46,000 .... 94⅛
26,000 .... 94¼
21,000 .... 94½
1,000 .... 94⅜
20,000 .... 94½
20,000 .... 94⅝
22,000 .... 94¾
1,000 .... 94⅝
19,000 .... 94¾
36,000 .... 94⅞
3,000 95
3,000 .... 94⅞
10,000 95
Pub S C s f 5s
1,000 .... 92⅞
5,000 93
Ry St Sp 5s
3,000 .... 98¼
Rdg gen 4s
81,000 .... 96⅛
9,000 .... 96⅛
Rdg, Jersey Cent col 4s
1,000 .... 97⅝
Rio Gr W 1st 4s
1,000 .... 86¼
3,000 .... 86⅝
2,000 87
1,000 .... 86¼
St L, Ir Mt & So gen 5s
1,000 .... 106⅛
St L & S F R R gen 5s
2,000 .... 88¼
ref 4s
1,000 .... 80⅝
1,000 .... 80½
St L S W 1st 4s
1,000 .... 91½
St L S W con 4s
5,000 .... 80⅝
St P, M & M, Mon Ext 4s
1,000 98
Seab A L adj 5s
4,000 .... 83⅝
Seab A L gold 4s, stamped
14,000 .... 83¼

Southn Pac col 4s
5,000 .... 92½
13,000 .... 92¼
500 .... 91⅞
convertible 4s
4,000 .... 96⅜
8,000 .... 96⅝
1st ref 4s
3,000 .... 95¼
San Fr Ter 4s
20,000 .... 91¼
Southn Rwy 1st 5s
1,000 .... 107⅝
6,000 .... 107⅝
10,000 .... 107½
general 4s
1,000 .... 78⅝
M & O col 4s
3,000 86
Mem Div 4½s-5s
10,000 .... 108¼
Stand Millg 1st 5s
3,000 .... 88½
Texas Co conv 6s
1,000 .... 95½
Third Av ref 4s, w i
132,000 .... 85⅝
18,000 .... 85½
adj 5s, w i
6,000 .... 78¾
con 4s, Trust Co ctfs, stpd
20,000 .... 79⅝
Tol, St L & W 4s
2,000 69
Ungergr Elec Rys of Lond inc 6s
11,000 .... 76½
Union Pac 1st 4s
2,000 .... 100⅜
3,000 .... 100⅜
4,000 .... 100⅜
1,000 .... 100⅜
35,000 .... 100⅜
2,000 .... 100⅝
convertible 4s
20,000 .... 102⅞
5,000 .... 102⅝
500 .... 102¼
10,000 .... 102⅜
United Railrds of San Fran 4s
2,000 .... 69⅝
U S Leather 6s
1,000 .... 101½
U S Rubber 6s
27,000 .... 104⅜
2,000 .... 104¼
U S Steel Cor s f 5s
10,000 .... 103⅞
14,000 .... 103⅜
1,000 104
51,000 .... 103⅞
6,000 .... 103⅜
2,000 .... 103⅞
Va-Car Ch 1st 5s
1,000 .... 100¼
1,000 .... 100½
Va & S W con 5s
2,000 97
Wabash 1st 5s
1,000 .... 107⅝
2d 5s
3,000 98
2,000 .... 98¼
Wabash R R ref & ext 4s
50,000 .... 57⅛
25,000 57
1,000 .... 56⅜
10,000 .... 56⅞
32,000 .... 56⅝
Wab-Pitts Ter 1st Cent Trust ctfs
10,000 .... 40½
5,000 .... 40⅜
Westn Electric 5s
7,000 .... 102½
Westr Maryld 4s
5,000 .... 87⅞
West Un fund & real estate 4½s
3,000 99
West Shore 4s
2,000 .... 100¼
registered
4,000 .... 98⅝
Westingh El & M 1st conv s f 5s
3,000 .... 94⅞
1,000 .... 94½
Wis Cent gen 4s
3,000 .... 92⅞

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

Closing quotations for United States Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930	100	100½	Pan 2s, r, 1938	100	..
2s, c, 1930	100¼	100⅝	Pan 3s, r, 1961	101½	102
3s, r, 1918	101½	102¼	Pan 3s, c, 1961	101½	101⅞
3s, c, 1918	101½	102¼	D C 3-65s	105	..
4s, r, 1925	113	113½			
4s, c, 1925	113¼	114			
Pan 2s, r, 1936	100	..			

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adams Exp.	198	203
Alb & Sus.	265½	..
Alle & W.	128	..
Allis-Ch pf.	7	8
Am Ag C.	61¼	61⅝
Am A C pf.	102¼	102½
Am B S pf.	98	99
A B S & F.	94	95½
A B S & F pf.	136	140
Am Coal	75	95
A Cot O pf.	95¼	99½
Am Exp.	209	213
A H & L.	3½	3⅝
Am L Co.	9⅝	11
A L Co pf.	32	32½
Am Locom.	34⅛	35½
Am S pf, B.	87	88
Am Snuff	..	125
Am T & C.	75	78
Am W Co.	27	28½
A W Pa pf.	25¼	25½
Ann Arbor	20	40
Ann A pf.	60	80
Assets Real.	106	107½
Asso Oil	..	49
Baldw L pf.	103	104
B & O pf.	89	92
Batopilas M	1⅜	1½
B Un Gas.	137	140
Bruns Ter.	7¾	9
B, R & P.	100	108
B, R & P pf.	129	150
But'k Co.	29¼	30
Canada So.	64	72½
Cent Leath.	19	19⅝
Cent L pf.	87	88
C & S A T.	120	121
Chi & Alt.	17	20
C & A pf.	35	..
C, I & L pf.	50	80
C & N W.	141	142
C & N W pf.	190	200
Chi, St P, M & Om.	140	148
C, St P, M & Om. pf.	150	160
Chi Un Tr pf ctfs sta.	5	5½
C, C, C & St L.	52	60
C, C, C & St L pf.	92	100
Cleve & P.	163⅝	..
C & P Sp.	95	..
Col F & I.	26⅝	27¼
Col & So.	44	48
C & S 1st pf	76¼	77
C & S 2d pf.	65	75
Crex Carpet	71	78
Cub-Am S.	..	45
C-A S pf.	94½	96½
Del & Hud.	170	173
D & R G.	22¼	22⅝
D M & Ft D	5	25
D M & Ft D pf.	25	..
Det & M.	110	..
D & M pf.	100	..
Det Un Ry.	..	66
D, S S & A.	8⅝	10¼
D, S S & A pf.	17	18
Du P de N Pow pf.	94	95
Ev & T H pf.	..	105
F M & S.	13	15
F M & S pf.	37	39
Gen Motors	34	35½
Gen M pf.	74	76¼
Gen C Co.	125	132
G C Co pf.	108	109
G & S Tel.	116	..
Granby Con.	..	60
G B & W.	82½	90
H E Ry pf.	..	110
Hock Val.	120	..
Ill C l l.	90¼	..
Inger-Rand.	95	..
Inger-R pf.	97	..
Int H pf.	120	120¾
Int Paper.	9⅝	10
Int Pa pf.	47½	48
Int St P.	30	31
Int S P pf.	80	82½
Iowa Cent.	12⅝	13
Iowa C pf.	28½	30
Kan C, Ft S & M pf.	78¼	79½
Kan C So.	27¼	28
K C So pf.	63⅝	64
K & D M.	7	9
K I, Chi, pf.	..	78¼
L E & W pf	29	33¾
Lake Shore.	400	510
Long Island	44	53
Mah C R.	600	..
May D St.	70	72
May D S pf.	110	113
Manila E R & L.	100	..
Mer Marine.	4½	5¼
Mich Cent.	180	190
M & St L.	24	28
M & St L pf	52	58
M, St P & S S M.	132¼	134
M, St P & S S M pf.	148	151
M, St P & S S M l l.	87⅝	89½
Mo, K & T pf.	63½	65
Mor & Es.	169	175
N, C & St L.	160	170
Nat Bis.	143½	148
Nat B pf.	127⅛	128
Nat Enam.	14	14⅝
Nat En pf.	93	95½
Nat Rys of M 1st pf.	68	71
N Y A B.	56	60
N Y, C & St L 1st pf.	98	110
N Y, C & St L 2d pf.	86	90
N Y D Co.	23	25
N Y D Co pf.	40	53
N Y, L & W.	120	125
N & W pf.	90½	92
N O T & L.	50	57½
Ont Mining.	1	1⅝
Pac Coast.	90	99½
P C 1st pf.	85	105
P C 2d pf.	90	105
Pac Mail.	31	32
Pac Tel & Tel pf.	98¼	..
Peo & E.	13	20
Pere Marq.	..	30
P M 2d pf.	..	38
Phelps-D'ge.	205	..
P, C, C & St L.	100	101
P, C, C & St L pf.	105	118
Pitts Coal.	17⅝	18½
P, Ft W & C.	164½	..
P Y & A pf.	160⅝	..
Pr St C pf.	101	102
Quicksilver.	3	3⅝
Q'ksil'r pf.	3½	5
R R Sec, I C stk ctfs.	86¼	89
Ry St Sp.	29	31
Ry St S pf.	101	105
Rdg 1st pf.	89	92
Rens & S.	184	..
R I & S pf.	85	85½
R, W & O.	117	..
Rub G M Co pf.	100	110
Rutland pf.	61	70
St L & S F 1st pf.	67	68
S tL & S F 2d pf.	41⅜	41½
St L & S F, C & E I ctfs.	125	200
St L & S F, C & E I new ctfs.	58	60
St L & S F, C & E I pf. ctfs.	105½	..
St L S W.	30	32
St L S W pf.	70	71
Sears-Roeb.	142¼	143
Sears-R pf.	122½	..
S-S S & I pf.	85	108¼
So P R S.	81	88
S P R S pf.	107½	115
So Ry, M & Ohio ctfs.	80	89
Stand Mill.	17	17⅝
Stand M pf.	57	57½
T P L Tr.	90	93
Third Av, 2d paid	39	41
T, P & W.	16	..
T R & L.	3⅜	4¼
T C R T pf.	132¼	145
Und Typew.	101	102½
Und T pf.	110½	112
U B & P.	4½	4⅝
Un Pac pf.	91½	92¼
U Cig M pf.	103	106
Un Dry G.	100	101
U S C I P.	15	16⅝
U S Exp.	84	88
U S R & I.	68¼	68½
U S R & R.	2	3
U S R & R pf.	..	12½
U S R 1st pf.	110⅝	110⅞
U S R 2d pf	74	75½
Va R & P.	46½	48
Va R & P pf.	86	87
Vand R R.	..	81
Va-C C Co pf.	121¼	122
Vul Det.	17½	19
Vul Det pf.	77	82
W F Exp.	142	147
West Md pf.	76½	78½
Westingh'se 1st pf.	118	120

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Treasury statement issued to-day gives receipts and expenditures for yesterday and the elapsed periods of the month and of the fiscal year as follows:

	Jan. 23.	Month.	Fiscal Year.
Receipts, cus.	$904,372	$17,284,875	$168,100,401
Internal rev.	805,745	15,824,127	166,552,359
Corporation tax	152,282	371,338	2,186,435
Miscellaneous	78,746	3,855,960	30,073,549
Total receipts	1,841,096	37,295,796	366,912,743
Expenditures	1,153,236	42,260,553	393,274,954
Surplus	687,859	*4,964,756	*26,362,211

These figures exclude Panama Canal and public debt transactions.

*Deficit.

At the beginning of business to-day the condition of the United States Treasury was: Working balance in Treasury offices, $62,228,084. In banks and Philippine Treasury, $34,590,150. The total balance in general fund was $121,404,148.

$20,000,000

The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company

Twenty-Year Five Per Cent. Gold Debentures.

Dated January 15, 1912. Due January 15, 1932.

Interest payable January 15th and July 15th.

Principal and interest payable in New York, in U. S. Gold Coin; or, at the Holder's Option, in Foreign Currencies as stated in the Debenture.

Redeemable, at the option of the Company, at any time at 105 and interest, on sixty days' previous notice.

Coupon Debentures in denomination of $1,000 each, with privilege of registration as to principal, and exchangeable for Debentures registered as to both principal and interest; Coupon and Registered Debentures are interchangeable.

Application will be made to list these Debentures on the New York Stock Exhange.
Total authorized issue limited to $20,000,000.

From a letter of Mr. Roberts Walker, Chairman of the Executive Committee of The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company, we quote as follows:

"The $20,000,000 Debentures which you have bought from us are the direct obligation of The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company (the old Company), which was formed in the year 1880, from which time it has uninterruptedly paid dividends on its capital stock, and since 1899 at not less than 5 per cent. per annum.

The average annual surplus of The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company for the five fiscal years 1907 to 1911, after providing for all fixed charges, taxes, rentals, etc., amounted to $5,965,089, equal to nearly six times the interest charges upon the above $20,000,000 Debentures had same been outstanding.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 1911, the surplus of The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company, after providing for all fixed charges, taxes, rentals, etc., amounted to $5,442,714, equal to nearly five and one-half times the interest charges on the above $20,000,000 Debentures had same been outstanding.

The sale of the above $20,000,000 Debentures will, it is expected, provide the Company with funds for the next two years for the purchase of additional terminals, and for second track, sidings and general betterment of the lines of the System. Therefore the Railway Company will not create or sell any additional Debentures prior to January 15, 1914, nor will it sell any First and Refunding Mortgage Four Per Cent. Bonds or other Direct or Guaranteed Bonds during this period, but all such Bonds as may become available will be retained as Treasury Assets of the Railway Company.

One of the terms of the Trust Indenture to the Bankers Trust Co., New York, as Trustee, securing the above Debentures, is that the Railway Company, as long as any of the Debentures are outstanding and unpaid, agrees not to make any new mortgage upon its railroad without also thereby including therein every Debenture issued thereunder equally and ratably with every bond issued under and secured by any such mortgage, such covenant, however, not to prevent the renewal, extension or refunding of any existing mortgage."

HAVING PLACED PRIVATELY THE LARGER PART OF THE ABOVE ISSUE, WE OFFER THE UNSOLD BALANCE AT 97½% AND ACCRUED INTEREST TO DELIVERY, YIELDING 5.20% PER ANNUM.

The subscription books will open at 10 A. M. on Monday, January 29, and close at 3 P. M., or earlier, on the same day.

Temporary Receipts will be issued pending the delivery of the Definitive Debentures.
The right is reserved to reject any application and to allot a smaller amount than applied for.
Payment in full is to be made on February 1, 1912.

New York, January 24, 1912.

SPEYER & CO.

Pacific Power & Light Company

First and Refunding (Now First) Mortgage 5% Gold Bonds

Dated August 1, 1910 Due August 1, 1930
Interest payable February 1 and August 1
Authorized $30,000,000. Outstanding $5,295,000
Redeemable at 105 and interest on any interest date to December 31, 1925, thereafter on approximately a 4% basis

Application will be made to list this issue on the New York Stock Exchange

From a letter by F. G. Sykes, Vice-President, we summarize as follows:

1. **These $5,295,000 bonds are secured by first mortgage on entire property of the Company.**
2. Followed by
   $3,500,000 Preferred Stocks sold at par for cash;
   6,000,000 Common Stock (2% dividends in 1911)
3. The reserved bonds issuable under stringent restrictions at par only for 80% of actual cost of improvements and extensions.
4. Twelve months' net earnings over twice interest charges on all bonds outstanding.
5. The property includes hydro-electric power, electric lighting and gas plants and electric railway properties in prosperous section of Pacific Northwest.
6. The ownership of the entire common stock and management of the Company is vested in interests closely affiliated with the General Electric Company.

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Descriptive circular containing Vice-President Sykes' letter furnished on request

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TOBEY & KIRK will buy:
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As specialists in STANDARD OIL OF NEW JERSEY stock since its inception on the Curb, nearly 15 years ago, we have on file in our office records of daily sales, dividends, etc., covering that period together with other data of interest. We will be glad to furnish information of this character at the request of the stockholder.

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The plan of accomplishing this is not mysterious in any way. We simply BUY what fractions the stockholder desires to sell in order to even up; or SELL the stockholder the necessary fraction to enable him to complete his fraction into one full share. We will attend to all the details of transfer required, without any extra charge whatsoever to the stockholder.

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TOBEY & KIRK will sell:
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THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

Big Seventh Avenue Deal at 58th Street—Mrs. Sidney Dillon Ripley Sells Her Residence for $400,000—Ancient Bond Street Dwelling at Auction—Suburban Market.

A deal aggregating nearly $500,000 in the upper Seventh Avenue apartment house district just below Central Park and the sale for nearly $400,000 of Mrs. Sidney Dillon Ripley's private residence at 16 East Seventy-ninth Street were the star features of a decidedly active realty market yesterday. The Seventh Avenue transaction is of especial interest, as it forecasts the ultimate improvement of a large corner which has remained practically unimproved for forty years, the immediate neighborhood having been built up with some of the finest apartment houses in the city.

The property sold is the southwest corner of Seventh Avenue and Fifty-eighth Street, 100.5 feet on the avenue and 100 feet on the street, adjoining the big Osborne apartment covering the lower half of the block to Fifty-seventh Street. Franklin Pettit, President of the Realty Company of America and an active operator in the apartment house districts of the city is the buyer, and it is said that negotiations are already in progress for the resale of the plot to a builder.

The property has been held at $450,000 by the Ralph Marsh estate, and it has not changed hands since 1871. Its only improvement consists of several old single-story buildings and stables. Slawson & Hobbs were the brokers in the deal.

The Marsh family several years ago owned a number of valuable parcels in the Seventh Avenue and Broadway territory north of Times Square, most of which have been disposed of. Immediately opposite the corner acquired by Mr. Pettit is the Alwyn Court apartment, one of the best equipped houses of its class in the city, while diagonally opposite is the Seventh Avenue frontage of the Navarre apartments, which, with the Osborne on the Fifty-seventh Street corner, were among the pioneers in expensive apartments. The locality commands excellent transit facilities, and the Subway station at Broadway is but a block to the West.

$400,000 for Private Residence.

A private residence sale of a magnitude, which has not been equalled in a long time in New York, was made yesterday by Pease & Elliman, who sold for Mrs. Sidney Dillon Ripley her home at 16 East Seventy-ninth Street for a price close to $400,000, at which the property was held. The dwelling occupies a plot 35 by 102.2 feet in the choicest upper Fifth Avenue residential section. The buyer, who will occupy the house as soon as the existing lease expires in May, was represented in the deal by Winthrop & Stimson, attorneys.

The house is a six-story English basement dwelling and was erected about four years ago for Mrs. Ripley from designs by the architects, Warren & Wetmore. It is one of a number of handsome houses on the famous Cook block purchased many years ago by the late Henry H. Cook, who built his own house on the northeast corner of Fifth Avenue and Seventy-eighth Street, at the time one of the magnificent places on that thoroughfare. Mr. Cook sold off parcels from time to time in the block, restricting them to private houses. The Cook house was sold a short time ago to James B. Duke. Other occupants in the block are Stuyvesant Fish, on the corner of Madison Avenue and Seventy-eighth Street; Isaac D. Fletcher on the Seventy-ninth Street, corner of Fifth Avenue; Stephen C. Clark, Irvin H. Broughton, John S. Barnes, Reginald G. Barclay, J. E. Nichols, C. W. Ogden, Jr., and J. W. Haven.

The price paid for the Ripley dwelling is said to establish a record for the sale of a private residence of that size on a side street. It contains a number of large rooms admirably designed for entertaining. Charles Buek bought the Madison Avenue corner at Seventy-ninth Street over a year ago and he has lately filed plans for a new residence on the plot.

Old Dey Street Corner Sold.

J. Romaine Brown & Co. have sold to a client the property at 178 Greenwich Street, being the southwest corner of Dey and Greenwich Streets. The plot fronts thirty-two feet on Greenwich Street and fifty feet on Dey Street. This is the first sale of the property since 1840, when it was purchased by the late C. V. B. Ostrander, formerly President of the Merchants Fire Insurance Company.

Beekman Street Loft Sold.

The Abendroth Manufacturing Company has sold 109 and 111 Beekman Street, a seven-story and basement iron front building, covering lot 38.4 by 45. The building has an electric elevator and steam heat. The transaction was an all cash one.

The property has been used by the Abendroth Company since 1854 for its New York location, and the building, which is a modern structure, was built by the Selling Company. The ground and building cost the sellers approximately $60,000. It is stated that negotiations are pending for the lease of the property for a long term of years. The Charles F. Noyes Company and William A. White & Sons negotiated the transaction.

Park Row Building Sold.

An investor has purchased from the estate of Charles F. Hoffman 115 Park Row an old five story brick building on a lot 16.11 by 63. The property which is located about fifty feet north of Chambers Street was recently leased to the J. M. Horton Company for five years at an annual rental of $1,850.

Old Bond Street Home at Auction.

Among the auction offerings yesterday was the old building at 46 Bond Street, the plot running through to 53 Great Jones Street, 27 feet on each street by 200 feet. About half a century ago when Bond Street was a fashionable thoroughfare the building was the residence of the Bronson family. The last sale of the property was in 1830 when it was purchased by Arthur Bronson, the grandfather of the parties in interest in the present partition sale. Arthur Bronson died in 1844 and among his heirs are the grandsons, Mayhew W. Bronson, the Chief of the Larchmont Fire Department and Special Deputy Sheriff in Westchester County; John J. Townsend, a New York attorney, and a granddaughter, the Countess Rucellai of Italy.

The property was sold by Bryan L. Kennelly and was bought for $50,000 by John Lynn, who owns the adjoining plot, 48 Bond Street.

Bronx.

In part payment for the Crotona Casino just sold by E. H. White, the latter has taken a five story flat at 1,018 East 150th Street on plot 40 by 100. B. Simon, the buyer of the Casino at 775 to 779 East 169th Street, will make extensive alterations for amusement purposes. Williamson & Bryan were the brokers in the deal.

Brooklyn.

Tutino & Cerny sold for the estate of Thomas Lynch, the two story and basement brownstone two family house 543 Forty-seventh Street, to a client for occupancy.

Long Island.

Martin O. Coastin has sold to William C. Constable, of Douglaston, a parcel 62 by 186 on the northwest side of the road, running from Little Neck Hotel to Old House Landing, Little Neck.

Emma A. Baker has sold to the Shore Acres Realty Company, of Manhattan, and they reconvey to the North Shore Realty Company of Manhattan, a parcel 100 by 193 on Shore Avenue, at Bayside Park.

Frieda Koch has sold to Thomas Koch, a parcel having a frontage of 280 feet on the west side of Benjamin Street, 140 feet on the east side of Grinnell Avenue, and 100 feet on the south side of Smith Avenue, Corona; also four lots on the Ziegler map at Corona.

New Jersey.

Abram Steinam has sold the northwest corner of Cedar and Second Avenue, at Long Branch. This property includes a large residence, garage and outbuildings, on a plot 140 by 390.

Recent Buyers.

Frederick A. Goetz is the purchaser of the plot of eight lots running through from Elwood Street to Sickles Street, 250 feet east of Sherman Avenue.

J. Archibald Murray is the buyer of 32 South Street, recently sold by Henry W. Hayden.

The Advocate Realty Company is the buyer of the three dwellings 24 to 28 West Forty-ninth Street, reported sold Wednesday.

Tall Apartment for Park Avenue.

Bing & Bing, who contracted to buy the plot on the northeast corner of Park Avenue and Seventy-ninth Street, 102.2 by 85 feet, from the E. Christian Koerner estate about a year ago, the sale of which has just been confirmed by the Court, are planning to erect a large apartment house on the site. It is said that the new house may be seventeen stories high, with one suite on a floor. The original deal was negotiated by the Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown Company, and Leon S. Altmayer.

14-Story Seventh Av. Apartment.

A fourteen-story apartment house is to be erected on the southwest corner of Seventh Avenue and Fifty-fourth Street, 100 by 100 feet, by the Adlan Construction Company, (Joseph L. Graf, L. & A. Pincus, and M. L. Goldstein,) which recently acquired the plot. The improvement, with the cost of the land, will represent an investment of $1,000,000. Plans are being prepared by the architects, George & Edward Blum.

Leases.

De Selding Brothers have leased for the Berghoff Brewing Company to Sherwood, Inc., for a term of years, the entire building at 144 Fulton Street, a three-story building, on plot 26.6 by 107.

The building is being extensively altered and occupied by the lessee as a department store.

George Coon has leased for Arthur J. Lewy his loft at 15 West Twenty-sixth Street, to Benzian & Havland, for a term of years.

Douglas L. Elliman & Co. have leased, from the plans, an apartment of fifteen rooms and four baths, in the new Fullerton Weaver apartment house, at the northwest corner of Park Avenue and Eighty-second Street, to Augustus Jay, who for many years occupied 200 Madison Avenue, the northwest corner of Thirty-fifth Street, belonging to the Astor estate; also an apartment in the same building to Mr. and Mrs. Julian McCarty Little; also an apartment in the Nottingham, 35 East Thirtieth Street, to William A. Hazard; a large duplex apartment at 471 Park Avenue, for Col. E. A. Stevens, to James A. McCrea, General Manager of the Long Island Railroad; an apartment at 29 Waverly Place for Mrs. Sherwood, to Dr. George O'Hanlon, Superintendent of Bellevue Hospital.

Notes.

A regular meeting of the West Side Taxpayers' Association will be held this evening at 267 West Thirty-fourth Street. Reports of regular and special committees will be received.

Another addition is to be built to the Hudson Terminal Buildings on the property adjoining the building between Fulton and Dey Streets. It will be built at 48 Dey Street, running through to 204 Fulton Street, fronting 19 feet on each street, five stories high.

Joseph P. Day will hold his initial special sales day of 1912 to-day at 12 o'clock noon in the Exchange Salesroom, 14 Vesey Street, when he will offer a long list of Manhattan properties.

Contracts have not been signed as yet for the sale of 63 and 65 West 125th Street.

The McVickar Gaillard Realty Company has placed a loan of $130,000 on the new nine-story apartment house owned by the J. M. Slattery Building and Construction Company; also $100,000 on the property 414 to 430 West Thirty-eighth Street, owned by Conrad Hubert; $87,000 on the southwest corner of Eighty-fifth Street and Amsterdam Avenue, owned by D. A. Coster, and $80,000 on 151 West Forty-fourth Street and 156 West Forty-fifth Street.

Results at Auction.

Yesterday's offerings in the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Bryan L. Kennelly.

Bond St, 46, n s, 190.4 ft w of Bowery, 27x100, three-story loft and store building and one-story extension; also

Great Jones St, 53, s s, 126.10 ft w of Bowery, 27x100, two-story loft and store building; partition, to John Lynn, $50,000.

By Joseph P. Day.

Centre Market Place, 7, e s, 198.11 ft n of Grand St, 24.8x42.2x25x46.1, four-story stable; foreclosure, to Carlo Colvasco, $17,583.

Sullivan St, 48 and 50, w s, 24 ft n of Watts St, 43.4x61x irregular; two three-story tenements and stores; partition, to M. Ballette and L. Bacigolupo, $23,000.

Thompson St, 111, w s, 76 ft s of Prince St, 25x75, five-story tenement and stores; also Thompson St, 106 and 108, e s, 138 ft s of Prince St, 38x70, three and four story tenements and stores; partition, to Cesare Razzetti, $21,600.

By D. P. Ingraham & Co.

69th St, 307 West, n s, 125 ft w of West End Av, 25x100.5, five-story tenement and stores; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, M. H. Petigor, $18,000.

69th St, 309 West, n s, 150 ft w of West End Av, 25x100.5, five-story tenement and stores; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, M. H. Petigor, $13,000.

By Herbert A. Sherman.

111th St, 53, n s, 125 ft e of Lenox Av, 25x100.11, five-story tenement; foreclosure, to Starr & Meshel, parties in interest, $28,810.

AT 8,156 THIRD AVENUE.

By Joseph P. Day.

Matthews Av, e s, 150 ft s of Brady Av, 25x100, Van Nest; foreclosure, to the plaintiff, Fidelity Development Company, $1,100.

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THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

No plans were filed yesterday for new structures in the Bronx. The following were filed in Manhattan:

Central Park West, 81st St, Columbus Av and 77th St, for two exhibition halls, 157.9x65.10; city, owner; Trowbridge & Livingston, architects; cost....$700,000

Alterations.

Items under $5,000 omitted.

Pine St, 35, to a three-story office building; Union Assurance Society, 66 Broadway, owner; Albro & Lindeberg, architects; cost..$20,000

Park Av, s w corner of 125th St, to a hotel; Wilmunr Realty Co, 52 Broadway, owner; Bruno W. Berger & Son, architects; cost, $6,000

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

ALL RIGHT, title, and interest in the 28th and 29th Sts Crosstown Railroad Co., with franchises, &c.; Newell Martin, referee, to John W. Hamer, Beverly, N. J., and others, constituting the Bondholders' Reorganization Committee, all liens, Jan. 22; attorneys, Mayer & Gilbert, 42 Exchange Place, $50,000

AVENUE C, w s, 21.10 ft n of 16th St, 24.2x62.11; Jonas Weil et al. to Fanny Gruen, 401 East 52d St, Jan. 17; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$100

AVENUE C, w s, 21.10 ft n of 16th St, 24.2x62.11; Fanny Gruen to Jonas Weil, and another, 21 East 82d St, Jan. 23; attorneys, Weil & M., 5 Beekman St....$100

BRADHURST AV, 28, e s, 21.1x75x24x77.6; Christian Wolz to Margaret A. Adair, 309 West 145th St, (mtg $6,500 and all liens,) March 20, 1911; attorney, R. D. Elder, Jr., 30 Broad St....$100

SAME PROPERTY; Margaret A. Adair to Robert H. Neumann, 53 West 131st St, (mtg $6,500 and all liens,) Jan. 18; attorney, same....$100

BRIDGE ST, 27, n s, runs n 58.4x w 21.10x s 56.8x e 16.4 to beginning, with all title to any land adjoining on e and n s; William F. Devine to William A. White & Sons, 62 Cedar St, all liens, Jan. 18; attorneys, Strong & C., 40 Wall St....$100

BROADWAY, 502 and 504, e s, 46x100x irregular; Charles Laue to Therese D. Browning, Rye, N. Y., (mtg $200,000,) Jan. 24; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$100

JACOB ST, s w corner of Frankfort St, 22x47.1; C. Henry Mangels, 15 Wadsworth Av, all title, all liens, April 15, 1909; attorney, George S. Billings, 44 Court St, Brooklyn..$1

PELL ST, 18, n e s, 24.6x87x24.4x85, s e s; Metta M. Quinn to Michael Quinn, Great Neck, L. I., Jan. 17....Gift

VARICK ST, e s, 48.7 ft s of Carmine St, 20x53.5; Nicholas F. Walsh to Michael O'Connor, 83 Ocean View Av, Woodhaven, Borough of Queens, Oct. 24, 1911; attorney, S. Bittermann, 309 Broadway....$100

WATER ST, 340, n s, 25x64; Sarah M. Sandford to Frank H. Quimby, 7 Tennis Court, Brooklyn, (mtg $8,500,) Jan. 22; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$100

2D AV, s e corner of 4th St, 41.1x84; H. Adelstein and others to Abram Beatus, 44 St. Mark's Place, (mtg $70,000,) Jan. 24; attorney, Frank M. Tichenor, 38 Park Row..$100

7TH AV, s w corner of 18th St, 54x60; John E. Roosevelt and others, executors of Robert B. Roosevelt, to Midtown Construction Co., 34 Pine St, Dec. 21; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway..$100

7TH AV, n w corner of 54th St, 50.5x100; Alexander H. Pincus to Joseph L. Graf, 28 West 89th St, ½ part, (mtg $150,000,) Jan. 15; attorney, H. Meyer, 302 Broadway....$100

9TH AV, 271, w s, 24.9x73; Harris Mandelbaum and others to Thomas Doyle, 228 8th Av, (mtg $22,500,) Jan. 22; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway..$100

11TH AV, 785 and 787, s w corner of 55th St, 50.5x75; John H. Feldscher to Society of the New York Hospital, 7 West 15th St, (mtg $27,000 and all liens,) Jan. 20; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$1

18TH ST, s s, 80 ft w of 7th Av, 20x54; W. Emlen Roosevelt and another, executors of James A. Roosevelt, to Midtown Construction Co., 34 Pine St, Jan. 22; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$1

28TH ST, 111 West, n s, 21.5x98.9; Ellen Dunne, widow, to Charles A. Dunne, Washington Av, Bergenfield, N. J., all liens, Jan. 22; attorney, E. H. Foster, 149 Broadway....$100

39TH ST, 64 West, s s, 23x irregular; Julia Livingston to Holland Holding Co., 11 Pine St, Jan. 23; attorney, A. J. Shaw, 11 Pine St....$100

39TH ST, 12 West, 22x98.9; Howard Carroll to Eugene Lucas, 66 Atlantic St, Jersey City, N. J., Jan. 24; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway....$1

43D ST, n s, 199.1 ft w of 2d Av, 27.11x100.5; John F. R. Ernst to Edward M. Clarke, Roselle, N. J., Jan. 23; attorneys, Salter & S., 140 Nassau St....$100

61ST ST, 207 West, n s, 27x100.5; Sadie Grossman to Ida Saks, 645 6th Av, ½ part, (mtg $14,500,) Sept. 27, 1911; attorney, Max Greenberger, 115 Broadway....$100

62D ST, 213 East, 18.7x100.5; Joseph A. Mitchell, executor, to Eleanor M. Mitchell, 213 East 62d St, Jan. 24; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway....$15,000

79TH ST, s s, 59.11 ft w of Madison Av, 0.1x102.2; Charles Buck Construction Co to J. W. Haven, 18 East 79th St, Jan. 24; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co, 160 Broadway....$100

80TH ST, s s, 175 ft w of Avenue A, 25x102.2; Mina Kolb to Catherine Kolb, Jersey City Heights, N. J., Jan. 24, (mtg $10,000;) attorneys, A. & H. Block, 93 Nassau St....$100

80TH ST, s s, 175 ft w of Avenue A, 25x102.2; Catherine Kolb to Mina Kolb, Jersey City Heights, N. J., (mtg $10,000,) Jan. 24; attorneys, A. & H. Block, 93 Nassau St....$100

86TH ST, n s, 270 ft w of 1st Av, 25x100.8; Amelia Grob to Joseph Selg, 1,646 2d Av, (mtg $10,000,) Jan. 23, ½ part, all title; attorney, Hugo Cohn, 19 Avenue A....$1

114TH ST, 37 West, n s, 25x100.11; Paul Schwarz to Fannie Meister, 1,930 85th St, Brooklyn, Lilian Bache, 358 East 11th St, Brooklyn, Dora Haft, 86 West 119th St, New York, and Emma Starr, 555 West 151st St, ¼ part to each, (mtg $25,000 and all liens,) Jan. 24; attorneys, Engel Brothers, 132 Nassau St....$100

117TH, 273 West, n s, 25x100.11; Regina Engelhardt to Abraham Kaufman, 200 West 119th St, (mtg $24,000,) all liens, Jan. 22; attorney, Home Title Insurance Co., Willoughby & Jay Sts., Brooklyn....$1

119TH ST, 82 West, s s, 16x100.11; Maria S. Miller to Maria M. Silver, 82 West 119th St, (mtg $8,500,) Jan. 24; attorney, Robert A. Inch, 52 Wall St....$1

124TH ST, 507-509, n s, 49.6x irregular; George H. Tiemeyer to Katharine F. Mitchell, Terryville, L. I., mtg $67,500, Jan. 15; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$1

127TH ST, s s, 140 ft w of Park Av, 25x99.11; Etta Solomon to Ada Brower, 165 Lewis St, Perth Amboy, N. J., (mtg $12,500,) Jan. 19; attorneys, Manheim & M., 302 Broadway..$100

Bronx.

AQUEDUCT AV, w s, Lots 49 to 52, amended map of Cammann estate, 100x100; James J. McCabe to The Augustinian Society, at Troy, N. Y., Jan. 5; attorney, N. Murphy, 2,342 Andrews Av....$1

GAINSBORG AV, w s, 100 ft w of Madison Av, 25x100; Richard W. Shaw to Charles R. Baxter Construction Co., 1587 Grant Av, Dec. 29; attorney, R. H. Arnold, 120 Westchester Square....$100

JACKSON AV, e s, 114.6 ft n of 161st St, 19.9x84; Jeanne Guest to Alexander Guest, her husband, 41 Convent Av, (mtg $2,000,) Jan. 18; attorney, Alexander Traut, 60 Broadway....$1

KINGSBRIDGE RD, n e cor Kirkside Av, 57.11x—; Mary E. C. Nichols to Henry J. Nichols, 238 Mt. Hope Pl, Dec. 20, (mtg $74,000;) address, 1910 Webster Av....$100

LOT 93, map of Allen estate; Hudson P. Rose Co to Carlo Tarillo, 316 West 69th St, Jan. 19; attorney, C. Tarillo, 316 West 69th St..$1

LOT 361, map of Bronx View Park, 25x100; East Borough Improvement Co to Eric Ericson, 1,913 Wallace Av., and Carl J. Ericson, 31 Gray St, Bloomfield, N. J., Jan. 23; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co, 160 Broadway....$1

LOT 300, n e 24 ft of Lot 40x s w 4 ft of Lot 41, map of Washingtonville and Gore C, map of South Washingtonville; Frank B. Doughty to William T. Mapes, 665 East 242d St, Jan. 3; address, 665 East 242d St....$100

LOT 611 and north half Lot 610, map Lohbauer Park; Charles R. Baxter Construction Co. to Richard W. Shaw, 360 East 144th St, Dec. 29, (mtg $3,250;) attorney, R. H. Arnold, 120 Westchester Square....$100

MARTHA AV, n w cor 241st St, 100x100; N. T. Hegeman Co. to Stephen H. Jackson, 53 East 67th St, Jan. 13; address, 106 Lexington Av....$100

WALTON AV, w s, 188 ft s of 183d St, 20x95; Lloyd Meres to A. W. De Long & Co., 88 Alexander Av, May 28, 1910, (mtg $7,200;) attorney, Quinn & S., 31 Nassau St....$1

WEBB AV, 2,468, e s, 24.4x100.7; Martha — to E. M. Tessier, 2,468 Webb Av, Jan. 23, (mtg $7,600;) attorneys, Martin & H., 265 Broadway....$100

3D AV, 3872, e s, 25x125; Nathan S. Kalman to Clara F. Kalman, 3872 3d Av, Jan. 23, (mtg $17,500;) attorneys, Frank & Wolfson, 69 Rivington St....$100

3D AV, 3872, e s, 25x125; Clara F. Kalman to Marx Bernstein, 604 Schenck Av, Brooklyn, (mtg $17,800,) Jan. 23; attorneys, Frank & Wolfson, 69 Rivington St....$100

138TH ST, 419 East, n s, 16.8x100; Francis A Curry and others, executors, to Edward M. O'Gorman, at Monroe, N. Y., Jan. 16; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co, 160 Broadway....$1

144TH ST, n s, 475 ft e of Willis Ave, 25x98.6; Susan B. Diamond to John J. Brennan, 1849 2d Av, Jan. 19, (mtg $9,000;) attorney, T. A. Leary, 2 Rector St....$1

182D ST, s s, 210.11 ft e of Belmont Av, 20x—; Angelo Di Benedetto to Calogero Di Benedetto, 120 East Houston St, Jan. 20, (mtg $7,000;) attorney, Myron Sulzberger, 38 Park Row....$100

240TH ST, n e s, at s e s of Carpenter Av, 50x100; Mathilda K. May to Ferdinand T. May, 621 East 240th St, Jan. 17; attorney, J. M. Bell, 9 South 3d Av, Mount Vernon, N. Y....$1

235TH ST, 634 East, 20x114.6; 235th St, 630 East, 20x114.6; Leo F. Gieberich to George H. Tiemeyer, 72 West 89th St, Jan. 23, (mtg $7,000;) attorney, Title Insurance Co....$1

236TH ST, n s, 185 ft w of Katonah Av, 25x100; Milton S. Kistler to Peter E. Selb, 87 Hansen Place, Brooklyn, (mtg $3,000,) Jan. 23; attorney, Peter E. Selb, 61 Park Row..$1

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With names and addresses of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

AUDUBON AV, s e corner 170th St, 25x95; Morris Simon Construction Co. to Robert M. Silverman, 819 West 92d St; prior mtg $20,000, Jan. 13, demand 6 p c; attorneys, Weed, Henry & Meyers, 62 William St....$2,000

AV C, w s, 21.10 ft n of 16th St, 24.2x62.11x24.2x63; Fanny Gruen to Kath Ranisford, 500 Madison Av, Jan. 7, 5 years, 5 p c; attorneys, Spier & B., 52 Wall St....$10,000

BLEECKER ST, 18-24, s w corner of Elizabeth St, 92x90; John E. Pye to County Holding Co., 128 Broadway, Jan. 24, 3 years 5½ p. c.; attorneys, Merritt & R., 128 Broadway....$80,000

BROOME ST, 147, s s, 20x41.6; Morris Rosentoner to Bernat Springer, 88 East 7th St, Jan. 13, due Feb. 1-13, 6 p c; attorney, A. Waxenbaum, 124 Stanton St....$1,000

FLETCHER ST, 18, w s, 18.5x84; Thomas H. Grossmith to Augustin Merle in Grasse, France, Oct. 25, due Feb. 28, 1914, — p c; attorneys, Douglas & Whinton, 290 Broadway....$10,730

IRVING PLACE, s e corner 16th St, 103.3x80; Central Holding Co. to Albany Savings Bank at Albany, N. Y., Jan. 23, 5 years, 4½ p c; attorney, J. F. Cooper, Albany, N. Y....$20,000

2D AV, s e corner 4th St, 41.1x84; Abram Beauts to Hyman Adelstein & ano, 110 West 86th St, Jan. 24; prior mtg $70,000, 6 years, 6 p c; attorneys, Lawyers' Title Insurance and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$23,750

3D AV, n w corner of 116th St, 50x100; Morris Weinstein to German Savings Bank, 157 4th Av, Jan. 24, 3 years; attorney, Title Insurance Co., 135 Broadway....$10,000

7TH AV, s w corner of 18th St, 54x60; Midtown Construction Co to Sallie A. O'Hara and another, 422 West 24th St, prior mtg $60,000, 5 years, 6 p. c., Jan. 24; attorney, William H. Archibald, 316 West 23d St..$5,000

7TH AV, s w corner of 18th St, 54x60; Midtown Construction Co to John E. Roosevelt and others, executors, 818 Madison Av, Dec. 21, 5 years; attorneys, Roosevelt & K., 44 Wall St....$60,000

8TH AV, 2,374, n e corner 127th St, 25x100; East Broadway, n w corner Rutgers St, 25x45.7, 5th Av, s w corner 116th St, 51x50; Frank J. Goldsoll to David Goldberg, 31 West 94th St, Jan. 23; prior mtg $140,000, 2 years, 6 p c; address 31 West 94th St....$20,000

13TH ST, 438 East, s s, 24.3x103.3, 13th St, 440 East, s s, 24.3x103.3; Isidor Leibowitz to Fannie Karp, 70 Livingston St, Jan. 23; prior mtg $50,000, 1 year, 6 p c; attorney, I. Schlesinger, 150 Nassau St....$2,000

18TH ST, s s, 80 ft w of 7th Av, 20x74; Midtown Construction Co to W. Emlen Roosevelt and another, 804 5th Av, Jan. 22, 3 years, 4½ p. c.; attorneys, Roosevelt & K., 44 Wall St....$9,500

29TH ST, s s, 37.5 ft e of 9th Av, 25x98.9; Devonshire Realty Co. to Annie Huss, 401 East 80th St, Jan. 22, due Feb. 11-12, 6 p c; attorney, Samuel J. Siegel, 38 Park Row....$2,200

39TH ST, 12 West, at 22x98.9; Eugene Lucas to Howard Carroll, at Tarrytown, N. Y., Jan. 24, 5 years; attorneys, Fettretch & S., 41 Park Row....$93,500

39TH ST, 64 West, s s, 23x irreg; Holland Holding Co. to Julia Livingston, 2,020 Broadway, Jan. 23, 3 years, 5 p c; attorneys, Anderson, P. & A., 25 Broad St....$60,000

42D ST, 427-431 West, 75x100.4; Thomas Farrell to Henry A. C. Taylor, at South Portsmouth, R. I., Jan. 24, 5 years 4½ p. c.; attorneys, Strong & C., 40 Wall St....$100,000

52D ST, 399 East, n s, 19.9x—; Abraham Abrams to Security Bank of N. Y., 1 East 14th St, Jan. 22; prior mtg $8,000, 3 months, per cent. as per bond; address 1 East 14th St....$2,000

62D ST, n s, 174.4 ft e of 3d Av, 18.7x100.5; Eleanor M. Mitchell to Title Guarantee and Trust Co, 176 Broadway, Jan. 24, due, &c., as per bond; address, 176 Broadway....$5,000

118TH ST, n s, 375.11 ft e of Pleasant Av, 20.5x100.11; Martha Gerard to Caecilie Nicolai, June 18, 1908, 5 years; attorney, Charles Waininger, P. O. Box 1,437, New York.$5,000

124TH ST, 320 East, 16.6x100.11; Amalie Cohn to Park Mortgage Co, 41 Park Row, Jan. 24, 3 years, 5½ p. c.; attorneys, Fettretch & S., 41 Park Row....$5,500

130TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 105x99.11; Nestor Holding Co. to Leon Tuckman, 1,990 7th Av, Jan. 23; prior mtg $87,500, due Sept. 14, 1912, 6 p c; attorneys, Manheim & M., 302 Broadway....$12,500

169TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 100x81.7; Morris Freundlich and others, executors, to William R. Rose, 309 West 81st St, Jan. 24, prior mtg $17,000, 3 years; attorneys, Rose & P. 128 Broadway....$1,500

Bronx.

BURKE AV, w s, 100 ft n of Jefferson Av, 50x100; Nellie Nelson to Sophie S. Moren, 4,309 Digney Av, Jan. 23, due as per bond; attorney, Robert H. Bergman, 3,219 3d Av....$700

LINCOLN ST, e s, 198 ft n of West Farms Road, 27x100; Henry Forte to Charles F. W. A. Mueller and others, 1,815 Prospect Av, Jan. 24, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, George H. Hyde, 41 Park Row....$3,000

LOTS 381 to 383, map of Lohbauer Park; William H. Abbenseth to Charles F. W. A. Mueller and others, 1,815 Prospect Av, Jan. 24, 3 years, 6 p.c.; attorney, George H. Hyde, 41 Park Row....$1,500

PARK AV, e s, 350.1 ft s of 174th St, 50x160; Emil Bartolicuis to John J. Cushing, Cranford, N. J., Jan. 16, due July 16, 1912, 6 p. c.; address, 60 Wall St....$4,256

VAN BUREN ST, w s, 127 ft n of Columbus Av, 23.6x100; Jacob Just to Charles F. W. A. Mueller, 1,815 Prospect Av, Jan. 24, 3 years, 5½ p. c.; attorney, George H. Hyde, 41 Park Row....$3,500

WHITLOCK AV, w s, 86 ft n of Barretto St, 40x100; Tully Construction Co. to Andrew Wilson, trustee, Newark, N. J., Jan. 22, 3 years; attorney, Howard M. Rowe, 154 Nassau St....$29,000

WHITLOCK AV, e s, 178.10 ft n of Leggett Av, 50x115.5x50.7x104.10; Ellen M., wife of Frederick Quinlan, to James Devlin, 327 West 45th St, Jan. 24, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co, 160 Broadway....$12,000

2D AV, n s, 430 ft w of 5th St, 50x114; Wakefield, Sarah I. Lewis to Kath. Bley, 155 East 55th St, Jan. 2, 3 years, address, 155 East 55th St....$1,000

235TH ST, 630 and 634 East, 2 lots, each 20x114.6, 2 mtg, each $250; Geo. H. Tiemeyer to Leo F. Gilberichi, 249 East 86th St, Jan. 23, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Insurance Co., 135 Broadway....$500

236TH ST, n s, 185 ft w of Katonah Av, 25x100; Peter E. Selb to Milton S. Kistler, 16 East 45th St., Jan. 23, due Feb. 1, 1913, 6 p. c.; attorney, P. E. Selb, 403 World Building....$1,000

RECORDED LEASES.

With name and address of lessee.

AMSTERDAM AV, 1,286, all; William C. Schmidt to John H. M. Peper, 513 West 137th St, 10 years from Feb. 1, 1912; attorney, Bernheimer & S. P. Brewing Co., 128th St and Amsterdam Av....$3,000

FULTON AV, 1,355, all; Louis P. Zeitner to Bronx Hospital, on premises, 3 years from March 1, 1912; attorney, Hy. L. Sloboden, 302 Broadway....$840

JOHN ST, 83, store and basement; estate of John G. Floyd to W. & B. Douglas, at Middletown, Conn., 3 years from May 1, 1912; address, 83 John St....$2,800

LENOX AV, 83, store and basement; Abraham Jacobs to Herman Schonstein, 232 Throop Av, Brooklyn, 5 years and 3 months from Feb. 1, 1912; attorney, Morris Cooper, 29 Vesey St....$1,980

LEXINGTON AV, 1,397, corner store; Curtiss P. Byron to Daniel Geardi, 1,907 Lexington Av, 5 years from Dec. 15, 1911; attorney, James Everard's Brewing Co., 12 East 133d St....$1,380

RUTGERS ST, 39, all; Leib Zimmerman and another to Bessie Gordon and another, 231 East 13th St, 7 years from Jan. 23, 1912; attorneys, Morrison & S., 320 Broadway.$2,400

ST. ANN'S AV, 550, all; Moise Geismann to August Faust, 550 St. Ann's Av, 5 years from April 1, 1912; attorney, Ebling B. Co., 760 St. Ann's Av....$1,800

STANTON ST, 74-76, corner store; Barnet Sundelevich to Barnett Lichtenstein, 71 2d Av, 5 years from Jan. 1, 1912; address, 74 Stanton St....$1,140

3D AV, 1,678, store and part of basement; Pauline H. Von Scoeten to George H. Stiesing, 336 East 83d St, 5 years from June 15, 1911; attorney, Edward M. Burghard, 135 Broadway....$2,000

6TH AV, 966, all; Henry E. Jones and another to Robert Kelterborn, 966 6th Av, 5 years from May 1, 1912; attorney, Edward M. Burghard, 135 Broadway....$3,700

7TH AV, 567, all; Emil Frank and others to Philip Brady, Woodcliff, N. J., 7 years from May 1, 1912; attorneys, Bernheimer & S. P. Brewing Co., 128th St. and Amsterdam Av....$5,000

10TH AV, 291, n store, &c; Pincus Lowenfeld and another to George Ashenweiler, 3 years and 3 months from Feb. 1, 1912; attorney, Otto B. Schmidt, 55 Wall St....$720

38TH ST, 420-430 West, all; Conrad Hubert to Frank G. Burke, 336 West 89th St, 5 years from Dec. 1, 1911; attorney, Abr. Stern, 31 Nassau St....$12,800

48TH ST, n s, between 7th Av and Broadway, second floor of Mecca Building; Jesse Froehlich and another to Max Marx, 1,345 Broadway, 5 years from March 1, 1912; attorney, E. Van De Moot, 280 Broadway....$6,000

116TH ST, 75-79 East, all; Christian Dages to Max Heller and another, 129 3d Av, 10 years from May 1, 1912; attorney, S. N. Freedman, 55 Liberty St....$9,000

233D ST AND WEBSTER AV, all; Charles A. Tier to Louis Becker, on premises, 5 years from March 11, 1912; attorney, Ebling Brewing Co., 760 St. Ann's Av....$1,800

MECHANICS' LIENS.

BARETTA ST, s w corner of 165th St, 52.5x70; National Bridge Works against James Butler Inc., owner; George J. and William Martin, contractors....$1,404

CLINTON AV, w s, 264 ft n of 181st St, 138x112x138x100; Louis E. Gunset against G. Zingales Co. and Zingales Construction Co., owners and contractors; P. J. Borelli, contractor....$3,000

SAME PROPERTY; Cohen & Nelson against G. Zingales Co., owner and contractor..$2,500

SAME PROPERTY; Tozzini & Co. against same....$1,671

CROTONA AV, e s, 336 ft n of 181st St, 80x100; Louis E. Gunset against G. Zingales Co. and Zingales Construction Co., owner and contractors....$800

CLINTON AV, w s, 264.5 ft n of 181st St, 127x125; Reliance Fireproof Door Co. against G. Zingales Co., owner and contractor..$456

CLINTON AV, w s, 264.5 ft n of 181st St, 124.5x97.9x138x112.3; Crotona Av, e s, 336 ft n of 181st St, 80x100; Lanigan Brothers, Inc., against G. Zingales Co., owner and contractor....$716

CLINTON AV, w s, 264.5 ft n of 181st St, 127x112; Gersman & Lozner, Inc., against G. Zingales Co., owner and contractor....$2,250

CROTONA AV, e s, 336 ft n of 181st St, 80x100; Gersman & Lozner, Inc., against G. Zingales Co., owner and contractor....$298

PARK AV, w s, 287.7 ft s of 187th St, 150x100; Mayer Malbin against Tremont Park Realty Co., owner; Fred Jackson, F. Jackson & Co., and Arthur Jackson, contractors....$250

2D AV, 2,004; Julius M. Schwartz against Anna D'Amico, Vito Trivigno, and Mary Logwinoff, owners and contractors....$1,649

107TH ST, 319 East; Gersman & Lozner, Inc., against Gaetano Zingales, owner and contractor....$60

SATISFIED MECHANICS' LIENS.

PLEASANT AV, 337; Isaac Maso and others against Luigi Capodianco and others; Sept. 29, 1911....$475

147TH ST, 308 and 310 West; Benjamin Wichodz and others against J. Willett Fox and others; Nov. 2, 1911....$143

LIS PENDENS.

AUDUBON AV, n w cor 187th St, 189.9x75; Jacob Levy against Huldana Realty Co. and others; (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Arnstein, Levy & Pfeiffer.

BATHGATE AV, s w cor 184th St, 35x94.5; Henry C. Wissemann and others against Arch Realty and Construction Co. and others; (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, E. G. Davis.

SPRING ST, 55 and 57; William McCauley against Celestino De Marco and others; (notice of levy;) attorneys, E. M. & P. Grout.

SAME PROPERTY; Edward J. Newman against same; (notice of levy;) attorneys, E. M. & P. Grout.

ST. NICHOLAS AV, 728; Mary E. Hastings against Jennie C. Mason and others; (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, A. H. Ammidown.

VAN BUREN ST, w s, 106.4 ft e of Morris Park Av, 56.7x97.6; Dimock & Fink Co. against Joseph Gamache; (notice of levy;) attorneys, Maerkle & Maerkle.

WASHINGTON AV, w s, 50 ft s of 173d St, 50x100; Henry V. Becher against Samuel Krakrowsky and others; (action to foreclose mechanics' lien;) attorney, R. H. Arnold.

97TH ST, 222 East; Noel B. Sandborn against Hilda Tompkins and others; (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Baylis & Sanborn.

100TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of Park Av, 20x100.11; State Bank against Henry M. Mayper and others; (amended foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. A. Kohn.

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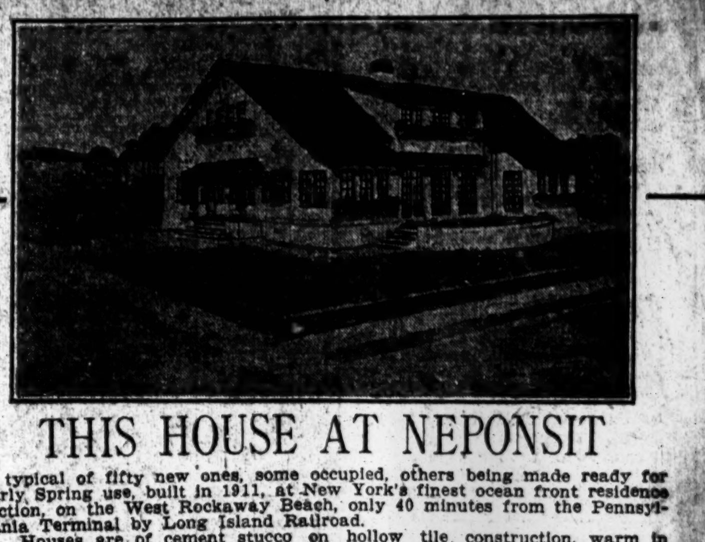

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Supreme Court Proceedings.

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155—Albert Shultheis, appellant, vs. D. A. McDougal et al., and

156—George Franklin Berryhill, appellant, vs. Albert W. Shultheis et al.—Argument concluded.

159—Irene Cuebas y Arredondo, appellant, vs. Filipe R. Cuebas y Padilla et al., &c.—Submitted.

160—The Ontario Land Company, appellant, vs. Charles W. Wilfong et al.—Argued.

162—The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad Company, plaintiff in error, vs. Timothy O'Connor.—Argument commenced.

Day call for Jan. 25—Nos. 162, 169, 164, 166, 121, 128, (and 129,) 167, 168, and 161.

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STATE.

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SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Lehman, J. Ex parte business.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part III.—Bischoff, J. Motions. Preferred causes. 4027—Taussig v. Carnegie Trust Co. 2899—Neubirth v. Neubirth. 4566—Hyslop v. Irving Const Co. 4584—De Johannis v. De Johannis. General calendar. 3717—Rosenberg v. Rosenberg. 3675—Sheehan v. Hearn. 3794—Goetschius v. Corkery. 3795—Beall v. King. 3811—Pollock v. Solomon's Ind Consumers Ice Co. 3856—Hevelka v. Zemek Assn. 3138—Weinert v. Eble. 3711—Lilienthal v. Lilienthal. 3730—Held v. McGehan. 3757—McGehan v. Brown. 3809—Home v. Moore. 1187—Simis v. Simis. 4000, 4001—Leary v. Sandblom Iron Works. 1220—Goeltz v. Lonner. 3780—Downer, Hawes & Co v. London Leather Nov Co. 3713—De Yung v. Cowden & De Yung. 3840—Goldstein v. McEwen. 4482—Watson v. Beaver. 2989—Wilson v. Utica & Black River R R. 3350—Reis v. Reis. 3156—Wiesenberg v. Lieberman. 3421—Assoc Trade Press Co v. Nat 5, 10 & 25 Cent Magazine. 1618—Johne v. Crane. 3133—Buckley v. Skinner. 3347—Schloss v. Troman. 3381—Erdenbrecher v. Erdenbrecher. 3147—Proctor v. Hall. 341—Spain v. Talcott. 1503—Tyndall v. Pinelawn Cemetery. 3636—Merksamer v. Merksamer. 3772—Doering v. Hillman. 3829—Standard Milk Flour Co v. Internatl Dry Milk Co. 3698—Butler v. Standard Milk Flour Co. 3787—Gainsburg v. Miller. 3396—Stube v. Rose. 245—Leavitt v. Knes. 813—Koschel v. Wyckoff, Church & Partridge. 2655—Nesbitt v. Howard. 3820—Neier v. Koehler Sporting Co. 1082—Littman v. Harris. 3732—Mans v. N Y C & H R R R. 1338—Bond v. Atlantic Terra Cotta Co. 1369—Willson v. N Y C & H R R R. 1381—Brown v. Webster. 3414—Schwarz v. Greenbaum. 3283—Milliken Bros v. City of N Y. 4002—Asbestos Mfg Co v. Brooks. 2928—Weinberg v. Weinberg. 2064—Weiss v. Bernstein. 3277—Fitzgibbon v. Parker. 3420—Crystaleid Water Co v. Schultz. 3348—Nemezak v. Realty Trust. 1121—Gray v. Hoadley. 3203—Russo v. McOwen. 3763—Meyer-Loeb Co v. Loeb. 3419—Carretta v. Christian Yare. 3603—Titomaglia v. Scienca. 3721—Baulanger v. Town & County Estates. 3768—Meyer-Loeb Co v. Loeb. 3671—Hauchhaus v. Peck. 3737—Malavita v. Orcutt. 3839—Loeb Co v. Rosenblatt. 2542—Kane Cont Co v. Willis & Marvin Co. 3632—Koheing v. Clifford. 3640—Frank v. Miter. 1511—Caine v. Caine. 3418—Longman v. Duffy Malt Whisky Co. 1550—Lutz v. McCard. 3704—Rose v. Stube. 2875—Ruel v. Ruel. 489—Hamilton Bank v. Mechanics & Traders' Bank. 3621—Dunne v. Dunne. 3810—Peerless Patten Co v. Pictorial Review. 3843—Fauser v. Fauser. 3860—Hanbald v. Rickert & Finley Co. 30—Colon v. First United Presby Church. 3398—Puritan Pure Food Co v. Stollwerck Bros. 3797—Miller v. Burke & Sons Co. 3581—Auerbeck v. Elliot. 1367—Bernheimer & Schwartz Brew Co v. Merino. 1863—Rosetti v. Rosetti. 1951—Andujar v. Boyd. 1400—Intl Brotherhood of Teamsters v. Hughes. 3317—First Gwodzicier &c. Verein v. Schecter. 3403—Karalyi v. Karalyi. 3168—Cobb v. 42d-Broadway Co. 2529—Leslie v. Lee. 1391—Koch v. Kaufman. 3641—Hawthorne Bldg Co v. Randall. 2701—Hellman v. Schiff. 1435—Wheeler v. Wheeler. 3164—D'Andrea v. Church of St. Anthony. 3720—Mitchell v. Mitchell. 3753—Butler v. Butler. 658—Rosenbaum v. N Y Edison Co. 1384—Chapman v. L E Waterman Co. 3654—Babcock & Wilcox Co v. Leonard. 3380—McDonald v. McDonald. Case on.

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SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part III.—Guy, J. 585—Moore v. Nassau Elec R R. 586—Koch v. Nassau Elec R R. 521—Mahler v. Whitridge. 525—Wiess v. B, Q Co & Sub R R. 539—Williams v. Interborough R T Co. 540—Wallace v. Whitridge. 542—Silver v. C I & B R R. 555—Makovsky v. Cent Park, &c, R R. 556—Tonyes v. Interborough R T Co. 615—Lorigan v. same. 518—Packard v. Glen Cove R R. 517—Simons v. Joline. 323—Scott v. N Y City Ry Co. Clear.

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SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part XIV.—Bijur, J. Inquest, 3191—Gaudy v. Brady. 4342—Nowak v. Levy. 1328—Shelab v. W. S. Kinsey & Co. 1308—Sexton v. Block Light Co. 1309—Same v. Fensterer. 5680—Ball v. Shepard. 3888—Armour v. Sound Shore Front Imp Co. 2380—Am Woolen Co v. Kaltmar. 3919—Quaker Oats Co v Simonetti. 3969—Elmohar Co v. People's Surety Co. 3998—Goucher v Cuff. 4005—Macher v. Davis. 4032—Wagner v. Mendell. 4033—Popper v. Otto Huber Co. 4039—Arezzo v. Correntino. 4051—Queens Land and Title Co v. Benson. 3749—M. Morgenthau, Jr, Co v. Friedlander. 4066—Marquand v. Becker. 4112—Chalmers v. Jarratt. 4128—Schlesinger v. Bernon. 4138—Am Woolen Co v. Newman. 4144—Marchesini v. Alessandria. 4130—Quinlan v. City of N Y. 4167—Ure v. Bronder. 1216½—Sullivan v. Ryan-Parker Const Co. 4126—Miller v. Art Metal Const Co. 3029—Atwater Co v. Irvine Realty Co. 4017—Jacobs v. Bernstein. 4206—Walker v. Boston & Maine R R. 4208—Pagano v. Washburn. 4223—German Grab & Son v. Price. 4224—Longacre Motor Co v. City of N Y. 4226—Hahneshand v. Hohlfeld. 4227—Brown v. Taylor. 4236—Roemer v. 85% Auto Supply Co. 4245—Brukenfeld v. Am Bonding Co of Balt. 4251—Kats v. Marks. 4268—Lantry v. Harrington. 4271—Patridge v. D. C. Weeks & Sons. 4277—Schenicke Piano Co v. Phil Casualty Co. 4281—Eadie v. De Rahm. 4292—Robinson v. Blair. 4293—Rycroft v. Pierce. 4301—Gascoigne v. Gottesman. 4307—Hubbard v. Kingsland. 4310—Coakley v. City of N Y. Case on.

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SURROGATES' COURT—Chambers—Fowler, S. Estates: Margaret Burke, Julian F. Burke, Mary F. Kelly, Annie Crump, Lillian Mohlenkamp. Wills for probate: Henrietta Andreson, Isidor Lazarus, Carrie A. Berliner, Peter Krawczyk, Orlando Harriman, Margaret T. Kelly, Eugene Michaux, Stephen Moorhause, Isabella G. Forsyth, Henry C. Vaneuline, Sarah R. Segee, Eliza Worthington, Nellie S. Anderson, Henry Weidler, Arthur C. F. Kinnin, Kate P. Bruch.

CITY COURT—Trial Term—Part I., Lynch, J.; case on. Part III., Delehanty, J.; case on. Part IV., Smith, J.; case on. Part V., Schmuck, J.; case on. Part VI., McAvoy, J.; clear. Part VII., Finelite, J.; case on. Part VIII., Donnelly, J.; case on. Calendar called in Part I. at 9:45 A. M. 8462½—Ginsberg v. Friedman. 4635—Contini v. Schley. 5341½—Belatsky v. Miles. 5438—Eagle v. Nassau Ferry Co. 8030½—Lessler v. Solomon. 4626—Glassberg v. Mark. 4160—Savoca v. J Pierce Co. 3432—Sandig v. Eckstein. 1363—Champagne v. Kaufman. 4611½—Bartholdi v. Hickson. 5556—Simpson v. Porter. 5672—Horn v. Luntz. 5485—Levine v. Walker. 3838—Levin v. Haines. 5360—Dunn v. Cohen. 5407—Lang v. Smith Cont Co. 5588—Bernstein v. Traverso. 5629—Guttentag v. Guttentag. 821—Miller v. Acken. 4313—Cohen v. Cohen. 4735—Quirk v. Sonn. 2069—Brown v. Taddenio. 2071—Gen'l Pub Synd v. Specht. 2173—Herm v. Burley. 2363, 2423—McDuff v. Stanley Hod Elev Co. 2425—West v. Greenberg. 2861—Natella v. De Rosa. 2980—Freyer v. Bernbaum. 3124½—Halle v. Monomoy Corp. 1836—Wagner v. Pitt & Scott. 3892—Nerdin v. Levering & Garrigues Co. 3909—Amerio v. Barbero. 3900—Cartwright v. Simpson. 4014—Kaufman v. Klinger. 4186—Witzky v. Linch. 4203—Dolan v. Conn Cab Co. 4211—Sacklow v. Ehrlich. 4244—Weyrich v. Shevlin.

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Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Gerard, J.—Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co. v. Mackey—Peter J. Everett. In re Richards—Phoenix Ingraham. Knapp v. Mestaniz—William F. Kelleher.

SUPREME COURT—Lehman, J.—Marsching v. Walter Building Co.—William S. Bennet. Commercial Insurance Co. v. Caponigri—Samuel C. Herrman. Cook v. Franklin—James Kearney.

Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Lehman, J.—George Feuerstein v. Diederich Gronholz—Joseph Cohen. Elizabeth K. Dooling v. Dora Jacobs—Patrick J. McGrath. Elizabeth K. Dooling v. Carmela Levoli—Patrick J. McGrath. Bazema T. Downes v. Carolina Werminger—Jacob Katz.

SUPREME COURT—Gerard, J.—Samuel E. Kilmer v. George Klag—Robert N. Chambers.

CITY COURT—La Fetra, J.—Isaac Heinemann v. The Romano Rest Co.—Thomas H. Keogh. Jacob Maryanov v. Benjamin Lieberman—John C. Ruff.

Brooklyn Calendars.

SUPREME COURT—Appellate Division—Second Judicial Department—Jenks, P. J.; Burr, Thomas, Carr, Woodward, JJ. Enumerated day calendar. 127—Brady v. City of N Y. 128—Di Crescenti v. same. 139—O'Brien v. Foley. 114—McCorry v. Wiarda. 32—Willis v. Everett. 33—Hyde v. Baldwin. 89—Bauer v. N Y & C I R R. 103—Mayne v. Nassau R R. 101—O'Malley v. Morse Dry Dock Co. 141—Junkins v. Junkins. 143—Town of Brookhaven v. Port Jefferson Milling Co. 144—Vogelsang v. Hansen. 53—People v. Friedman. 126—Gurrie v. North Shore Traction Co. 63 N. E.—Coonan v. Hamburg Packet Co. 146—De Severinus v. N Y Evening Journal. 148—Davenport v. Palmer. 150—Dilluvio v. N Y & Q Co Ry. 151—Knobloch v. Kraecke.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term.—Stapleton, J. 1519—McGrath v. City of New York. 1521—Durst v. Sarkisian. 1522—Farney v. Farney. 1830—Taylor v. Taylor. 1748—Farrington v. Braisted. 1831—Simon v. Fein. 1495—Spalletta v. Spalletta. 1128—Link v. Block. 1510—Carberry v. Prendergast, Compr. 1222—Weiss v. Weiss. 1476—Scher v. Lebowitz. The balance of the cases marked ready on the previous call will be added to this calendar when these cases are disposed of. Highest number reached on the regular call, 1556.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part I., Crane, J.; Part II., Benedict, J.; Part III., Jaycox, J.; Part IV., Aspinall, J.; Part V., Blackmar, J.; Part VI., Scudder, J.; Part VII., Kelby, J. 1648—Dutcher v. Wanamaker. 6199—Brangaccio v. Weber Piano Co. 8141—Ancess v. Schwartz. 3154—Larkin v. Nassau R R. 3178—Greenberg v. same. 3181—Duffy v. same. 3183—Jahn v. Brooklyn El R R. 5973—City of New York v. Topping. 3188—Walsh v. Nassau R R. 3191—Moore v. B H R R. 3196—Hoffman v. City of New York and another. 3197—Stark v. City of New York. 3199—De Giacomo v. B H R R. 3030—Brown v. Interborough R T. 2959—Fallert v. City of New York. 777—Wachsman v. Dreamland. 891—Carafa v. B H R R. 1609, 2002—De Bard v. B, Q Co & Sub R R. 3052—Lautman v. City of New York. 3150, 3151—Hannan v. Rollock. 1151—Corcoran v. Nolan. 4730—Hamer v. B, Q Co & Sub R R. 3081, 3082—McGraw v. City of New York. 3200—Campo v. B H R R. 3203—Kennedy v. Nassau R R. 3205—Power v. B H R R. 3206—Ruebens v. Cooper. 3208, 3209—Robertson v. B H R R. 3210—McKelvey v. same. 3213—Killeen v. Nassau R R. 3215—Tarnke v. McGuire et al. 3225—Hedges v. B H R R. 3226—Zebrowsky v. same. 3227—McNally v. City of New York et al. 3229—Woky v. Abraham et al. 3231—Gorman v. B H R R. 3234—McMail v. Inter-State Lighterage & T Co. 5487—B, Q Co & Sub R R v. Bird et al. 5499—Cohen v. Kelleher. 2791, 2809—Forsell v. Methodist Episcopal Hosp. 3237—Miller v. B H R R.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set down for a day upon this call. 3238—Elliott v. O'Neill Bros. 3239—Wyman v. B H R R. 3240—Cohen v. Lakow. 3242—Silverstein v. Danher & ano. 3243—Hoyruf v. N Y, N H & H R R & ano. 3244—Pomerans v. Silberberg. 3245—Gilotti v. Nassau R R. 3247—King v. Nassau R R. 3248—Anderson v. Carlson. 3253—Murphy v. B H R R. 3255—Foerster v. Nassau R R. 3256-3257-3351—Pepis v. Nassau R R. 3258—Jurstie v. N Y & Cuba Mail S S Co. 3259—Saadi v. Timmerman & ano. 2659—Powers v. Kaatze. 3266—Bossert & ano v. Felser. 3268—Mazlin v. Levinson. 3269—Kavanaugh v. Central R R of N J. 3272-3273—Bleich v. Nassau R R. 3274—Mattos v. Felgenhauser. 3280—Strear v. City of New York. 3285—Pockrass v. National Show Case Co. 3288—McDermott v. Gillies. 6099—Brooklyn Bank v. Flannagan. 2961—Coleman v. Ciaccia. 2764—Meyer v. Nassau R R. 3289—Litwin v. Brooklyn El R R. 3293—Smith v. Renault Freres Selling Branch. 3294—Pederson v. American Sugar Refining Co. 3295—Gilmour v. Ewell et al. 3296—Hasler v. City of New York. 3297 to 3299—Higgins v. Nassau R R et al. 3300—Riley v. N Y Telephone Co. 3301—Wenger v. Dugan. 3302—Blumenstock v. Nassau R R et al. 3303—Nilsen v. N Y Telephone Co. 3304—Fischer v. Weidenfeld. 3305-3306—Marbach v. Schrader Sons. 3308—Markey v. Brandau & ano. 3309—Gunderson v. N Y Telephone Co. 3310—Wilson v. Sea View Amusement Co. 3311—Mario v. Gillespie Co. Highest number reached on regular call, 3312.

Queens County.

SUPREME COURT—Trial Term—Part I., Marean, J. Part II., Van Siclen, J. 858—Thompson et al v. Peterson et al. 189—Goetz, as admx., v. Duffy. 191—Loewe, as admx., v. Duffy. 532—Reeves & Co v. Edgewood Terrace Realty Co. 548—Breisacher v. Peace & ano. 550—Beck v. B H R R Co. 554—Heineman v. same. 561—Goodsion, an infant, v. same. 566—Gorham v. S & W Bauman. 565—Kelly v. Coney Island & Bklyn Ry Co. 457—Jolie v. Butler. 528—Raymond v. N Y & Queens Co Ry Co.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set down for a day upon this call: 575—Olisewsky v. National Bridge Works. 578—Zarborowski, an infant, v. Lalance & Grosjean Mfg. Co. 579—Clemens v. B H R R Co. 580—Megium v. Buehler. 583—Materowski v. L I R R Co. 584—Schoener v. Bklyn, Queens Co & Sub Ry Co. 586—Dubrofsky v. Collins Co. 587—Dutke v. L I R R Co. 590—A O'Neill & ano v. Schlessinger. 592—A Mangenheim v. N Y & Queens Co Ry Co. 593—Preston v. B H R R Co & ano. 595—Woodruff & Son v. Jamaica Post Office Bldg. 596—Coyne v. Nichols Copper Co. 597—Koller Infant, v. Transit Development Co. 598—Bonny, an infant, v. City of N Y.

Highest number reached on calendar in its order, 599.

COUNTY COURT—Trial Term.—Humphrey, J. 116—Crowley v. Coney Island & Bklyn Ry Co. 112—Christensen v. Carson.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term.—Garretson, J. 850—Ivanhoe Fire H & L Co v. Ivanhoe Protection Bldg Assn. 852—Loughlin, as trustee, v. Wocker & ano. 866—Morton Realty Co v. People of State of N Y.

Westchester County.

SUPREME COURT—Part I., Morschauser, J.; Part II., Mills, J. 590—Buckley v. Northern Westchester Lighting Co. 373—Spring Steel v. Purdy. The remainder of the calendar goes over until the first Monday in February.

SUPREME COURT.—Special Term—Keogh, J. 103—Ganun v. Palmer. 18—Ganun v. Palmer. 116—Reynolds v. State Line Telephone Co. 132—Anderson v. Fritz. 27—Townsend v. Townsend. 112—Kapp v. Kapp.

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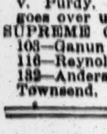

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You and each of you are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear before our Surrogate of the County of New York, at the Surrogates' Court of said county, held at the Hall of Records, in the County of New York, on the 5th day of March, 1912, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend a judicial settlement of the account of proceedings of Hermine R. Loening as Temporary Administratrix of the goods, chattels, and credits of said deceased; and such of you as are hereby cited as are under the age of twenty-one years are required to appear by your guardian, if you have one, or if you have none, to appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the event of your neglect or failure to do so, a guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for you in the proceeding.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the Seal of the Surrogates' Court of the said County of New York to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of our said county, at the County of New York, the 17th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

[Seal.] DANIEL J. DOWDNEY,
Clerk of the Surrogates' Court.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

In pursuance of an order of Hon. Robert Ludlow Fowler, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Mary E. Wood, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at their place of transacting business at the office of Richard G. Babbage, Room 1415, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of July next.

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BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of CAFE LYRIC CO., bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells Thursday, February 1st, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 1,425 Broadway, (southwest corner of 40th Street,) Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of large stock of wines, liquors, groceries, cigars, &c., chinaware, glassware, silverware, crockery, tables, chairs, mirrors, chandeliers, carpets, portieres, curtains, cash register, office fixtures, &c.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of MAURICE ROSENSTEIN, trading as M. ROSENSTEIN & Co., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Jan. 25th, 1912, by order of the Court, at 2 P. M., at 2,787 Third Ave., Borough of Bronx, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of neckwear, E. & W. collars, Arrow brand collars, sweaters, handkerchiefs, Earl & Wilson shirts, Cluett shirts, a general line of gents' furnishings, glass showcases, fixtures, &c.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of THOMAS J. LINDBERG and ROXANNA A. HAMPTON, individually and co-partners under the firm name of LINDBERG & HAMPTON CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Jan. 25th, 1912, by order of the court, at 2 P. M., at 486 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupts, consisting of notions, hair specialties, desks, safe, fixtures, &c.

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JOSEPH LICHTENBERG, Attorney for Trustee, 309 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of MORRIS L. WETSTEIN, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sell this day, Thursday, Jan. 25, 1912, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 703 8th Av., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of diamonds, watches, clocks, jewelry, cut glass, safe, fixtures, &c.

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STRAUSS & SINGER, Attorneys for Receiver, 160 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SIMON SCHNEIDER, Bankrupt.—Charles Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Thursday, Jan. 25, 1912, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 80 Lenox Av., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of umbrellas, canes, &c.

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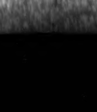

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SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—ADELE BIERIG and others, plaintiffs, against MOSES R. SPRINGER and others, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 18th day of January, 1912, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 15th day of February, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by L. J. Phillips & Co., auctioneers, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows:

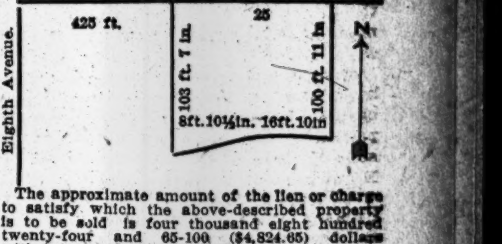
All that lot or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly side of 116th Street, distant 425 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of 116th Street with the easterly side of Eighth Avenue, and running thence southerly and parallel with Eighth Avenue, and part of the way through a party wall 103 feet seven inches to the line of land now or late of David Wood, running thence in a northeasterly direction along the line of land now or late of David Wood eight (8) feet 10½ inches to a point where said line of land now or late of David Wood intersects the centre line of the block between 115th and 116th Streets; thence easterly along the said centre line of the block and parallel with 116th Street, 16 feet 10 inches; thence northerly and parallel with Eighth Avenue and part of the way through a party wall, 100 feet 11 inches to the said southerly side of 116th Street, and thence westerly along the said southerly side of 116th Street, 25 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said premises being now known as 228 West 116th Street.

Dated New York, January 24th, 1912.

BERNHARD RABBINO, Referee.

FIXMAN, LEWIS & SELIGSBERG, Attorneys for Plaintiffs, Office and P. O. Address, 55 Liberty Street, Manhattan, N. Y. City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street number 228 West 116th Street:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is four thousand eight hundred twenty-four and 65-100 ($4,824.65) dollars with interest thereon from the 4th day of January, 1912, together with costs and allowance amounting to two hundred ninety-four and 27-100 ($294.27) dollars, with interest from January 18, 1912, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates or other liens, which are to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is sixteen hundred thirty-three 71-100 dollars and interest.

Said premises will be sold subject to a first mortgage for thirty thousand dollars, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum from November 1, 1911, and to violations of all municipal departments of the City of New York, if any.

Dated New York, January 24th, 1912.

BERNHARD RABBINO, Referee.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Plaintiff, against WESLEY THORN, FANNE CURTIS HOADLEY, "THE CHELSEA," and JOHN H. SCHUMACHER, doing business under the style of "COLUMBIA COUNTY DAIRY," Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly made and entered in the above entitled action and bearing date the 28th day of December, 1911, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction at the Exchange Salesrooms, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the sixth day of February, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Bryan L. Kennelly, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows:

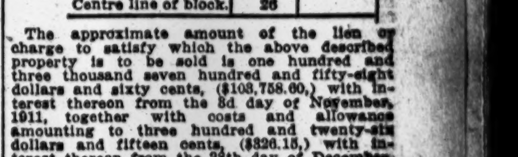
All that lot of land in the City and County of New York, with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly side of Eighty-second Street, distant one hundred and nineteen feet westerly from the intersection of the southerly side of Eighty-second Street and the westerly side of Madison Avenue, and running thence southerly parallel with Madison Avenue and part of the way through a party wall one hundred and two feet two inches to the centre line of the block; thence westerly along the centre line of the block twenty-six feet; thence northerly again parallel with Madison Avenue one hundred and two feet two inches to the southerly side of Eighty-second Street, and thence easterly along the southerly side of Eighty-second Street twenty-six feet to the point of beginning. Said premises being now known as Number 18 East 82d Street.

Dated New York, January 10th, 1912.

ALFRED STECKLER, JR., Referee.

GEORGE W. HUBBELL, Attorney for Plaintiff, 346 Broadway, Bor. of Manhattan, City of New York.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold. Its street number is 18 East 82d Street:



The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above described property is to be sold is one hundred and three thousand seven hundred and fifty-eight dollars and sixty cents, ($103,758.60,) with interest thereon from the 3d day of November, 1911, together with costs and allowance amounting to three hundred and twenty-six dollars and fifteen cents, ($326.15,) with interest thereon from the 28th day of December, 1911, together with the expenses of the sale.

The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates or other liens which are to be allowed the purchaser out of the purchase money or paid by the referee is seven thousand five hundred and forty-five dollars and seventy-four cents ($7,545.74) and interest.

Dated New York, January 10th, 1912.

ALFRED STECKLER, JR., Referee.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—EMMA MOTT WHITTEMORE, Plaintiff, against FANNY L. CAMPBELL and others, Defendants.

In pursuance of an interlocutory judgment of partition and sale, duly made and entered in the above entitled action, and bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1912, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the first day of February, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

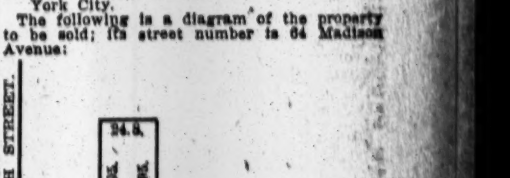
"Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Madison Avenue, distant twenty-four (24) feet nine (9) inches northerly from the northwesterly corner of Twenty-seventh Street and Madison Avenue; and running thence westerly, parallel to Twenty-seventh Street aforesaid, ninety-five feet; thence northerly, in a line at right angles with Twenty-seventh Street aforesaid, twenty-four feet eight inches; thence eastwardly, in a line parallel with Twenty-seventh Street aforesaid, ninety-five feet to the westerly line of Madison Avenue; thence southerly, along said westerly side of Madison Avenue, twenty-four feet eight inches to the place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less, and being the same premises conveyed to the said Louisa D. Mott by deed dated the 15th day of February, 1866, made by Thomas Connell and Catherine, his wife, and recorded in the Register's office of the City and County of New York, the 15th day of February, 1866, in Liber 966 of Conveyances, page 164. Said premises being now known by the number 64 Madison Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City."

Dated New York, January 10th, 1912.

DONALD McLEAN, Referee.

HENRY G. SANFORD, Attorney for Plaintiff, 43 Cedar Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold; its street number is 64 Madison Avenue:



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SHIPPING AND MAILS

Miniature Almanac for To-day.

Sun rises..7:16 | Sun sets..5:09 | Moon sets..11:25

THE TIDES.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	11:06	11:33	5:01	5:39
Governors Island	11:30	0:00	5:34	5:50
Hell Gate	1:10	1:50	7:06	7:12

Arrived—Wednesday, Jan. 24.

- SS President Lincoln, Boulogne, Jan. 14.
- SS Kroonland, Antwerp, Jan. 13.
- SS Ancona, Naples, Jan. 10.
- SS Ceres, Lisbon, Jan. 7.
- SS Tennyson, Barbados, Jan. 18.
- SS Fagertun, Puerto Cortez, Jan. 17.
- SS Indianapolis, Cienfuegos, Jan. 18.
- SS El Norte, Galveston, Jan. 18.
- SS Mohawk, Jacksonville, Jan. 21.
- SS Sabine, Brunswick, Jan. 21.
- SS Lucy Neff, Savannah, Jan. 20.
- SS Duca d'Aosta, Philadelphia, Jan. 23.
- SS Teresa, Philadelphia, Jan. 23.

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TO-DAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Savoie, Havre	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Morro Castle, Havana	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Oceana, Bermuda	11:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Asiatic Prince, Pernambuca	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Dominic, Para	4:00 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
Allemania, Inagua	1:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.
Bohemian, Liverpool	——	12:00 M.
City of Savannah, Savannah	——	3:00 P.M.
Sabine, Brunswick	——	1:00 P.M.
El Siglo, Galveston	——	12:00 M.
Guantanamo, Tampico	——	1:00 P.M.

SAIL TO-MORROW.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Maracas, Grenada	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Crosby, Rio Janeiro	11:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Mineola, Argentina	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Tagus, Bermuda	7:00 P.M.	10:00 P.M.
Seguranca, Nassau	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Mohawk, Jacksonville	——	1:00 P.M.
Yumuri, Cienfuegos	——	3:00 P.M.

SAIL SATURDAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Philadelphia, Southampton	6:00 A.M.	9:30 A.M.
Carmania, Liverpool	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Sant' Anna, Azores	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Carolina, San Juan	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Turrialba, Jamaica	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Saratoga, Havana	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
P. Aug. Wilhelm, Jamaica	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Advance, Cristobal	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
Ucayali, Para	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Pretoria, Hamburg	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Minnewaska, London	——	11:00 A.M.
Ancona, Naples	——	11:00 A.M.
California, Glasgow	——	1:00 P.M.
El Mundo, Galveston	——	12:00 M.
Carozal, Mayaguez	——	12:00 M.
Iroquois, Jacksonville	——	1:00 P.M.
San Jacinto, Galveston	——	1:00 P.M.
Comus, New Orleans	——	12:00 M.
Concho, Tampa	——	1:00 P.M.
P. di Piemonte, Naples	——	11:00 A.M.
City of St. Louis, Savannah	——	3:00 P.M.
Orange Prince, Argentina	8:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Drumcraig, Argentina	2:00 A.M.	4:00 A.M.
Prins Willem III., Haiti	11:30 A.H.	2:00 P.M.
Harry Luckenbach, San Juan	——	12:00 M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, German, and French transatlantic lines until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.

Idaho	Hull	Jan. 8
Astoria	Libau	Jan. 5
Alamo	Brunswick	Jan. 20
Cubana	Cardenas	Jan. 17
Philadelphia	Southampton	Jan. 17
Metapan	Colon	Jan. 18
Tagus	Bermuda	Jan. 23
Caracas	La Guayra	Jan. 18
Oscar II	Christiansand	Jan. 13
Proteus	New Orleans	Jan. 20
Iroquois	Jacksonville	Jan. 22

DUE TO-MORROW.

Caroline	Havre	Jan. 18
Monterey	Havana	Jan. 23
City of St. Louis	Savannah	Jan. 23
El Rio	Galveston	Jan. 20
Katahdin	Brunswick	Jan. 23
Christopher	Barbados	Jan. 18
Santiago	Porto Rico	Jan. 21

DUE SATURDAY.

Lorraine	Havre	Jan. 20
Exeter City	Swansea	Jan. 11
Cuyahoga	Algiers	Jan. 11
Crown of Navarre	Trinidad	Jan. 19
Apache	Jacksonville	Jan. 24
Celtic	Liverpool	Jan. 18
Chemnitz	Bremen	Jan. 13
Bayern	Hamburg	Jan. 12
Panama	Cristobal	Jan. 21
San Marcos	Galveston	Jan. 20

By Wireless.

SANDY HOOK, N. J., JAN. 24, (MARCONI.)

- SS Caroline, Havre to New York, 1,000 miles E. at 6:25 A. M.; due 27th, 6:30 A. M. French Line.
- SS Celtic, Liverpool to New York, 1,206 miles E. at 7:35 P. M.; due 28th, 9 A. M. White Star Line.
- SS Roma, Marseilles to New York, 850 miles E. at 7:20 P. M. Fabre Line.
- SS President Lincoln, Hamburg to New York, 300 miles E. at noon; due 25th, noon. Hamburg-American Line.
- SS Oscar II., Copenhagen to New York, 810 miles E. at 4 P. M.; due 25th, 5 P. M.

SCOTLAND LIGHTSHIP, (UNITED.)

- SS Idaho, Hull to New York, 848 miles E. of Ambrose Lightship at 7:50 P. M., 23d.
- SS Panama, Cristobal to New York, 909 miles S. at 7 P. M.
- SS Antilles, New Orleans to New York, crossed Mississippi Bar at 5 P. M.
- SS Monterey, Vera Cruz to New York, 836 miles S. at 8 A. M.
- SS Apache, Jacksonville to New York, 742 miles S. at 7 P. M.
- SS Prinz Joachim, Atwoods Key to New York, 384 miles S. of Diamond Shoals at 8 A. M.
- SS Tagus, Bermuda to New York, 222 miles S. E. at 7 P. M.
- SS Caracas, Curacao to New York, 21 miles S. at 8 P. M.
- SS Proteus, New Orleans to New York, 143 miles S. at 8 P. M.
- SS Concho, Mobile to New York, 58 miles S. at 7 P. M.
- SS Ancon, Cristobal to New York, 90 miles S. at 7 P. M.
- SS Metapan, Kingston to New York, 180 miles S. at 8 P. M.
- SS Iroquois, Jacksonville to New York, 170 miles S. at 7 P. M.
- SS City of St. Louis, Savannah to New York, 330 miles S. at 7 P. M.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

- SS Volturno, at Rotterdam, Jan. 23.
- SS Cymric, at Liverpool, Jan. 24.
- SS Adriatic, at Genoa, Jan. 24.
- SS Burmese Prince, at Aden, Jan. 24.

Sailed.

- SS Cervantes, from Barbados, Jan. 23.
- SS Pannonia, from Gibraltar, Jan. 24.
- SS Winifredian, from Liverpool, Jan. 24.
- SS Calabria, from Gibraltar, Jan. 23.

Passed.

- SS Prins Willem V., New York for Havre, passed St. Michaels.
- SS Mannheim, New York for ——, passed Lizard.
- SS Paul Paix, New York for Calais, passed Lizard.
- SS Iroquois, New York for Liverpool, passed Brow Head.

Transpacific Mails.

Destination and Steamer.	Mails Close in New York.
Tahiti and Marquesas (via San Francisco)—Mariposa	Jan. 28 6:30 P.M.
Guam and Philippine Islands (via San Francisco)—U. S. Transport	Jan. 31 6:30 P.M.
Tahiti, Marquesas, New Zealand, Australia (via San Francisco)—Union Line steamer	Feb. 7 6:30 P.M.
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands (via Vancouver)—Monteagle	Feb. 2 6:30 P.M.
Hawaii (via San Francisco)—Sierra	Jan. 22 6:30 P.M.
Japan, Korea, and China (via Seattle)—Oteric	Jan. 28 6:30 P.M.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands (via San Francisco) — Nippon Maru	Jan. 25 6:30 P.M.
Tahiti, Marquesas, New Zealand, and Australia (via San Francisco)—Union Line steamer	Feb. 2 6:30 P.M.
Hawaii, Fiji Islands, Samoan Islands, New Zealand, and Australia (via Vancouver)—Marama	Feb. 16 6:30 P.M.

Pacific Mails.

Postmaster Morgan announces that mails of the following dates—Manila, Dec. 26; Hongkong, Dec. 29, and Yokohama, Jan. 7—which arrived at Seattle per steamer Monteagle, were dispatched east at 12:01 A. M. Jan. 22. Due in New York on the morning of Friday, Jan. 26.

For Latest Shipping News See Page 1.

FOREIGN HOTELS AND RESORTS.

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THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—A severe storm has reached the North Pacific Coast and the general rains forecast on Sunday have set in over Washington, Oregon, Idaho, and Northern California. Over the remainder of the country the weather was generally fair, except in the lake region eastward, where there were light snows. It is considerably colder in the central valleys and the East, with temperatures 5 to 20 degrees below seasonal. In the South, temperatures are moderately high, and over the western half of the country they have risen generally.

In the central valleys, the East, South, and Southwest fair weather will prevail during Thursday and Friday.

It will be warmer Friday in the central valleys and lake regions. In the Atlantic and Gulf States temperatures will not change materially.

Winds along the New England Coast will be moderate northwest; Middle Atlantic Coast, moderate northwest and north; South Atlantic Coast, light to moderate and mostly west.

Steamships departing Thursday for European ports will have moderate northwest winds with fair weather to the Grand Banks.

FORECASTS FOR TO-DAY AND FRIDAY.

Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, and New Jersey—Fair; slightly colder Thursday. Friday fair; light north winds.

Southern New England—Fair, colder Thursday. Friday fair; moderate northwest and north winds.

Northern New England—Fair; continued cold Thursday and Friday; light north winds.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1911.	1912.		1911.	1912.
3 A. M.	28	37	4 P. M.	34	30
6 A. M.	26	36	6 P. M.	36	27
9 A. M.	30	32	9 P. M.	32	21
12 M.	34	32	12 M.	30	21

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 30; for the corresponding date last year it was 33; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 30.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 37, at 8 P. M. it was 24. Maximum temperature 40 degrees at 12:01 A. M., minimum, 21 degrees at 9 P. M. Humidity 58 per cent. at 8 A. M. 47 per cent. at 8 P. M.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The request of the Interborough Association of Women Teachers that the by-laws of the Board of Education be amended so that "no group of schools shall contain more than one school having more than seventeen classes" has been held over for further consideration by the board.

The report of the Committee on Vocational Schools and Industrial Training relative to the establishment of an evening vocational school for boys of high school rank in Public School 100, Manhattan, and the appointment of Charles J. Pickett as its Principal has been adopted by the Board of Education.

It is said that a plan is afoot to merge the Permanent Census Bureau and the board's Bureau of Compulsory Education. The Permanent Census Bureau was incorporated under the statutes in 1909 to aid in the enforcement of the compulsory education law. It is independent of the Board of Education, although its offices are in the same building and although City Supt. Maxwell is one of its officers.

The Board of Education has authorized City Supt. Maxwell and Associate City Supt. Edson to attend the meeting of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association in St. Louis on Feb. 27, 28, and 29. Their expenses will be paid by the board.

YESTERDAY'S WILLS.

HENRY DUCHARDT, Jr., died Dec. 30; left $25 personalty to his wife, Mary E. Duchardt.

ELIZABETH LAPAIX, died Jan. 23; left more than $10,000 realty and more than $1,000 personalty; $4,000 to Rose Edwards, $300 each to Julia and Nellie O'Brien and Ellie O'Keefe, $500 to John Starck, $200 each to Ida Vicker and Jennie Lynch, equal shares in $20,000 personalty and $1,000 realty to Elizabeth Hulskey and Ellen, Robert A., and Theodore Clarke, and remainder interests, of unknown value, to William J. and Harry E. Clarke.

ANNE J. MACAULEY, died Nov. 10; left $1,200 personalty to her cousin, Elizabeth A. Coulter.

LAURA BORCHARDT, died Feb. 17, 1905, at Miami, Fla.; left $2,200 personalty; $1,700 to her sister, Estella Strauss, and $500 to her brother, Albert Borchardt.

MARIA SCHMIDT, died Jan. 14; left more than $10,000 realty and $3,200 personalty equally to her children, Edward C. and Louis G. Schmidt, Julia Seelig, Amelia Matthews, and Adelena Conklin.

MAGGIE WHALEN, died Jan. 7; left $1,300 personalty to her sister, Bridget A. Whalen.

CLARA GOLDSMITH, died Dec. 30; left less than $10,000 personalty in four parts: one to Rebecca Goldsmith, one to Emma G. Simon, one part in equal shares to Clara E. and Merle E. Simon, life interest in one part in equal shares to Nellie Goldsmith and Lewis Goldsmith, and remainder interests to Charles J., Clara, and Dorothy Goldsmith.

HENRY WEIDLER, died Jan. 16; left more than $10,000 personalty, shares estimated at $2,500 each to Magdalena, Henry, and George Weidler, Louisa Wick, Carrie Muller, and Margaret Cook.

GEORGE AMEND, left his millinery business to his wife, Bertha Amend, to whom he left one-third of his residuary estate, the remaining two-thirds for the support of his daughter, Georgia Amend.

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

A. M. Loss.
12:05—208 W. 148th St.; B. & L. Cohen.. Trifling
12:10—570-572 Grand St.; Jacob Goldberg.$5,000
3:00—236 Elizabeth St.; G. Mariana......$500
3:55—230 W. 117th St.; unknown...Trifling
5:25—423 E. 13th St.; M. Jacovane...Trifling
8:20—1,805 1st Av.; John Minepches......$100
8:50—177 Ludlow St.; Philip Posner.......$50
11:50—1,487 Amsterdam Av.; Mary Dressler. Trifling
12:00—118 W. 91st St.; J. W. Gilmore...$1,000
P. M.
12:35—133 Waverley Place; unknown...Slight
12:55—86 6th Av.; unknown.........Slight
1:55—978 2d Av.; E. Crane...............$100
2:25—4 2d St.; Blanche Farinal............$30
2:35—257 East 7th St.; I. Levenstein......$10
2:40—478 Grand St.; Isaac Singer.....Trifling
2:55—2,082 Vyse Av.; Thomas Kane........$30
4:10—207 East 110th St.; T. Flabroni.......$10
4:10—46 West End Av.; W. Dillon.....Trifling
4:15—19 Jones St.; W. Malloni........Trifling
4:30—412 West 55th St.; G. Dockett....Trifling
5:00—1,523 Charlotte St.; J. Wolf.......Trifling
6:05—139th St. and 3d Av.; unknown.Trifling
7:10—104-106 E. 52d St.; J. Carey.........$700
8:45—357 E. 87th St.; G. Ehret..........Trifling
9:00—355 E. 20th St.; Crown Van Camp.... Trifling
9:10—98 Avenue C; J. Bergelick.............$200
10:45—138 Bleecker St.; unknown......Trifling
11:00—66 W. 138th St.; M. Stanton..Trifling

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

City.

The decision of the Court of Appeals, upholding the Municipal Civil Service Commission on its insistence that probationary officers of the inferior courts are in the competitive class, ends a rather lengthy legal contest, in which, until now, the courts have held against the commission. Under a new law passed by the Legislature, and going into effect last September, there was a reorganization of the Magistrates' Courts. The Magistrates, active, as they asserted, in compliance with the provisions of the act, appointed about half a dozen probation officers, and declared them to be confidential and in the exempt class. The Municipal Civil Service Commission held to the contrary and made out a classified list of competitors. It was mandamused, and the half dozen probation officers, appointed by the Magistrates, have held their jobs ever since. The case was taken by agreement with the courts. The Supreme Court and the Appellate Division decided against them. Now, however, since the Court of Appeals holds that the commission is right, the Magistrates' appointees will lose their jobs and their places will be filled by men on the commission's eligible list. The ousted employes, however, will be paid for the time they have served.

Applications are now being received by the commission for the position of Lay Sanitary Inspector and Tenement House Inspector. The last day for the receipt of applications is Feb. 7.

The commission has approved the recommendation of Chief Examiner Ireland that room 1,0—, 299 Broadway, be rented at $600 a year for the use of the examiners.

The emergency appointment by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, of Edward J. Walters, as head gardener at the rate of $1,500 a year, has been approved. This appointment is pending his qualifying in the non-competitive examination, recently ordered by the commission, and also pending the preparation of the promotion list.

United States.

There are three or more vacancies in the position of Laboratory Assistant in the paper and textile laboratories of the Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce and Labor, at salaries ranging from $900 to $1,200 a year. The United States Civil Service Commission will hold an examination at the Custom House on Feb. 7 to obtain eligibles from which to make certification to fill these vacancies. It is desired to get eligibles who have had experience in the supervision or design of paper or textile equipment, and who have had either mechanical or chemical engineering training. Some experience in microscopy is desirable, but not essential. Ability to initiate and conduct investigations in either paper or textile technology is a desirable qualification, and applicants should list in their applications the titles of any investigations they have conducted, together with references to any articles they have published.

The manual of examinations for the Spring of 1912 has just been issued by the United States Civil Service Commission. Among its contents are: Scope of the Civil Service law, extent of the classified service, places and dates of examinations, instructions relative to applications and conditions of employment, descriptions of examinations, information concerning mechanical trades and other non-educational examinations, information as to specially announced examinations, rating of examination papers, and eligibility and appointment.

POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS.

Assignment—Patrolman John H. E. Phillips, 43d Precinct, to clerical duty.

Resignation—Patrolman John F. King, 21st Precinct.

Fines Imposed—Patrolmen Benjamin J. Schoenholz, 23d Precinct, Jan. 9, threatened to arrest citizen, five days. Frederick Struss, 23d Precinct, Dec. 28, 1911, used vile language to Sergeant; twenty days.

Matron Isabella Haines, 63d Precinct, Nov. 18, 1911; (1) wrote and sent anonymous communication to woman; (2) used department envelope to influence woman; ten days.

Suspended—Patrolmen Andrew F. Kelly and William A. Walsh, 69th Precinct.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

The Army.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—First Lieut. J. G. McIlroy, Ninth Infantry, is relieved from treatment at the Walter Reed Hospital, D. C.

Orders Dec. 26 relating to Capt. E. A. Stuart, Second Field Artillery, revoked.

First Lieut. W. C. Jones, Signal Corps, to Washington for consultation with Chief Signal Officer of the Army.

Major W. F. Flynn, Cavalry, unassigned, retired from active service.

The Navy.

Commander H. F. Bryan to office Naval Intelligence, Washington.

Commander A. H. Scales to command Prairie.

Lieut. J. B. Goldman to Naval Hospital, Washington, treatment.

Ensign C. H. Maddox to Harvard University for instruction in wireless telegraphy.

Ensign J. W. Dubose to Naval Hospital, Las Animas, Col., for treatment.

Ensign A. H. Miles to command the Castine.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived: Paul Jones, Perry, and Preble, at San Pedro; Neptune, at Sewall Point; Buffalo, at Amoy.

Sailed: Monaghan, from Charleston for Guantanamo; Hannibal, from Hampton Roads for Cape Gracias a Dios.

Lost

80c. a line 1 time; 75c. a line 3 times a week; $1.40 a line 7 consecutive times.

LOST—From my truck, 8 cases bonded merchandise, containing a chemical that can be used by only a few manufacturers, who have been notified, and therefore is of no value to any one. I will pay $100 for the return of the 8 cases or in proportion for part of same. A. W. Bouton, 21 Bank.

LOST—Collapsible diamond ring, set in platinum; one large centre stone, surrounded by smaller diamonds; lost between 20th and 26th Sts., 5th Av. Liberal reward if returned to Department W, Maison Maurice, 516 5th Av.

LOST—Saturday morning, earring, (pearl and diamond;) lost between Maison de Blanc, Altman's, McCreery's, or 5th Av. stage to Hotel Ansonia; reward. Mrs. Roe, 7-144 Hotel Ansonia.

LOST.—Two silver boxes on Tuesday, Jan. 23, in the ladies' dressing room of the Hotel Knickerbocker. Liberal reward and no questions asked for return to Udall & Ballou, 574 5th Av.

LOST.—Handsome reward, return of pocketbook-memorandum, lost cafe, corner Willoughby and Adams Sts. Leonard Davidson, 1,384 Madison St., Brooklyn.

LOST—Pendant earring, 3 large pearls and diamonds set in platinum; lost probably in Broadway Subway. Handsome reward for return to clerk, Hotel Plaza.

LOST—Tuesday morning, gold monogrammed watch, "M. L. S.," between 143d and 147th Sts., Edgecombe and Amsterdam Avs.; liberal reward. Cooper, 746 St. Nicholas Av.

LOST—Solitaire diamond ring, considerably worn, Jan. 19 or 20, between 23d and 76th Sts., west side; possibly Amsterdam Av. car. C. M. Cram, 241 West 23d St.

LOST—Suitable reward will be given for gold watch fob, initials "J. P. H.," lost Long Island City or New York, if returned to 150 Jackson Av., Long Island City.

LOST—Wednesday afternoon, diamond brooch, between Casino Theatre and Pennsylvania Station, or on train to Hoboken; reward. Room 2,025, 165 Broadway.

LOST—Near Metropolitan Opera House, gold brooch, shape of pansy; black enamel; one single diamond; liberal reward. Freisinger, 127 West 41st.

LOST.—$50 reward for return of horseshoe diamond scarfpin, lost in Ritz-Carlton dining room Jan. 7. James H. Stuart, 334 5th Av.

LOST—Scarfpin, lion's head, with diamond in mouth; reward $15; no questions asked. Telephone 1820 Madison Square.

LOST—Diamond pendant earring, platinum setting, 8th St. to 37 Madison Av.; reward. Langford, 37 Madison Av.

LOST—Jan. 19, envelope containing diamond ring marked "Jen 98"; liberal reward. 136 W. 73d.

LOST—Silver purse, Tuesday evening, vicinity Faust's, Columbus Circle; reward. Sykes, 344 East 23d St.

LOST—Gold watch, attached to bracelet; reward. Return Foster, Hotel Earlington, 27th St.

LOST.—Diamond ring, 66th St., 70th St., 3d Av.; reward. 126 East 66th.

LOST—$500 by poor servant at Bowery Savings Bank; liberal reward. 57 East 77th St.

LOST.—Gold link bracelet with diamonds and garnets. Reward, 13 East 31st St.

$100 REWARD, no questions asked, returning horse and light wagon. Dreyer, 511 Grand St., Brooklyn.

Lost and Found, Cats, Dogs

80c. a line 1 time; 75c. a line 3 times a week; $1.40 a line 7 consecutive times.

LOST.—Strayed from Astor Hotel Tuesday morning bull terrier, with collar marked "Tony"; reward. W. P. Taylor, 315 4th Av., 4th floor.

LOST—Toy French poodle, white; name Marquise; reward. Morgan, 120 West 84th St.

LOST.—Gray Angora cat, Sunday; reward. 100 East 65th St.

Found

80c. a line 1 time; 75c. a line 3 times a week; $1.40 a line 7 consecutive times.

FOUND—Lady's gold bracelet, with stones, initials, and date, in Pennsylvania Station, N. Y., Wednesday, Jan. 17, 1912. Address "B.," Box 574, Trenton, N. J., inclosing complete description.

FOUND, Jan. 23.—INTERBOROUGH R. T. CO. Apply Lost Property Bureau, 9 Morris St.: 2D AVENUE L—Gloves, rosary, clothes. 3D AVENUE L—Purse, pin, book, envelope, legal paper, tickets, pictures, calendars, plans, keys, gloves, rubbers, shoes, sack, box clothes, dress, shirt, muffler, tobacco, skates. 6TH AVENUE L—Umbrella, cane, pin, valve, gloves, letter, handkerchief, apron, shirt, pictures, beads, case, keys. 9TH AVENUE L—Purse, book, muff. SUBWAY—Satchel, suitcase, handbags, purse, earring, money, check, watches, neckpiece, tickets, catalogue, bankbook, odd glove, muffs, underwear, rubber, pad, &c., books, towel, waist, overalls, rubbers, key, hairpin, samples, electrical supplies, salt, bottles.

FOUND, Jan. 23.—BROOKLYN RAPID TRANSIT. Apply 168 Montague St., Brooklyn: child's beads, notebook, towels, overalls, shoes, pair rubbers, shirt, box of underwear, lady's waist, satchel, neckpiece, box knives, bag of tools, eyeglasses, patchwork, lunchbox, printed matter, Brooklyn Knights' Association, shirts, muff, cane, lady's coat, package books and pamphlets, crape border, beads, piece of fur, child's stockings, pocketbooks, handbags, umbrellas.

FOUND Jan. 23.—NEW PENN. DEPOT. Package, umbrella, valise, pin, suit of pajamas, package, pillow, rubbers, 2 rings, book, book and veil, pair rubbers, umbrella, sweater, one slipper, pair rubbers, 3 rubbers, arctics, fountain pen, glove, trousers of pajama suit, eyeglasses.

FOUND, Jan. 17 to 23.—LEHIGH VALLEY R. R. Apply General Baggage Agent, South Bethlehem, Penn.: Umbrella, muff, package, muffler, book.

FOUND, Jan. 23.—HUDSON & MANHATTAN R. R. CO. Hudson Tubes. Apply 137 Christopher St.: Sugar bowl, creamer, underwear, jug, overshoes, gloves, spectacles, muff, umbrella, sheet music, photograph, book, hat.

FOUND, Jan. 23.—ERIE R. R. Apply Information Bureau, Jersey City: Rubbers, book, glove, handbag, satchel, can of paint, ball, pair gloves, cash.

FOUND, Jan. 23.—N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Apply Lost Property Bureau, Grand Central Station: Two umbrellas, rosary, 2 packages, overcoat, 2 muffs.

FOUND, Jan. 23.—PENN. R. R. Apply Information Bureau, Jersey City: Handbag, bracelet, 2 umbrellas, packages, pair shoes, hat, glove.

FOUND, Jan. 23.—LACKAWANNA R. R. Apply Information Bureau, Hoboken, N. J.: Two packages, 3 umbrellas, handbag, beads, cap.

FOUND, Jan. 23.—LONG ISLAND R. R. Apply Lost Property Bureau, Long Island City: Two packages.

Help Wanted

Employment Bureaus.

Commercial.

STENOGRAPHERS, female, $20; male, $8, $10, $12.

Investigator, $12; audit clerk, $12.

Collector, $10, and commission timekeeper, country, $15.

Other positions coming in during the day. Employers' Reference Service, (Agency,) 144 West 23d St.

Business Opportunities

Secretary-Director substantial real estate corporation operating extensively suburban New York property offers his stock, interest par value $8,600, for sale at $8,000; earning capacity unlimited; now pays dividends; should soon pay 25 per cent. or more; investigation solicited. Future, 190 Times Downtown.

Rare opportunity for safe and profitable investment offered silent associate investing $15,000.00 to $20,000.00 in first-class mercantile company; answer principal only. P 265 Times Downtown.

Wanted a shrewd business man to invest $1,500 in a manufacturing business long established; must be of good standing. A 137 Times.

I am prepared to invest in and develop the sales end of a business that has good possibilities. R 204 Times Downtown.

ESTABLISHED business for sale. Address Box 67, 352 6th Av., New York City.

Business Notices

500 Multigraphed typewritten letters, $1.50; 1,000, $2; addressing; printing, lowest prices, 1,000 letterheads, envelopes, $1.50. Royal Letter Company, 15 East 14th.

PATENTS Call! Write for "Good
PATENTS Things to Invent." 30
PATENTS Years' Experience.
EDGAR TATE & CO., 245 Broadway, New York

Pianos tuned and polished at your residence; city or country; moderate charge. J. Buval, 134 West Houston St.

The Scientific Digest, profusely illustrated, $1 per year. Kansas City, Mo. Desk H.

Help Wanted, Female

GIRL for general work; one who is willing to do laundry work; references. S 10 Times.

LADY DEMONSTRATOR to call on dry goods trade and to instruct salespeople; must be capable and willing to travel the year round; state experience and salary expected; references required. R 70 Times.

LADIES take work home; transferring $1 dozen up; work guaranteed. Triebers, 49 West 36th.

LADIES' COPY WORK home during spare time. Call 10 to 3, Hampton, 215 West 80th.

SALES LADIES.—Two young ladies, between 25 and 35 years age, to learn our business; must be of good education and address, honest, and energetic. Ryan, 156 5th Av.

THOROUGHLY experienced English and Spanish stenographer; state experience, reference and salary. R. 73 Times.

WELL EDUCATED business woman, over 30, for outside position requiring more than ordinary tact and ability, but paid accordingly; one who can travel preferred. Room 705, 110 West 34th St.

YOUNG LADY.—Mail order house has opening for young lady familiar with the stencil system to arrange and give out work for 12 or more stencil cutters; must be experienced and able to equip machine with type and make ordinary repairs; apply by letter, stating age, experience, and salary expected. H, Station V, New York City.

YOUNG WOMAN, with good figure, 36 bust, may secure permanent position. Apply H. G. Millard, Butterick Building, Spring and Macdougal Sts.

Help Wanted, Male

ARE YOU THE MAN we are looking for? Some time in life there is always offered just once the "Big Opportunity." This may be your minute to grasp it; we have a position open which presents the brightest opportunities to earn big money; if you are ambitious, we will train you faithfully for the position to present a proposition before business and professional people which will enable you to command big returns financially; call between 9 and 12 A. M. Mr. Dittlinger, 9 East 26th St., Room 226.

A METROPOLITAN publication has opportunity for a man who is experienced in developing and creating classified advertising. Apply by letter, giving particulars as to experience and references. A 146 Times.

AN established business, with "Social Register" clientele, wants a young man of best social and business knowledge. B B 114 Times.

BE A TRAVELING SALESMAN, earn while you learn. Bradstreet System, Rochester, N.Y.

EXPORT CLERK, familiar West Indian, South American trade; must be employed. Confidential, A 140 Times.

FIRST CLASS Western salesman wanted for a good line of cloaks and raincoats. Cohn Cloak M'f'g Co., 55 West 16th St.

FOR BOTH DAY AND NIGHT SHIFTS, experienced operators on Jones & Lamson, Potter & Johnson, and hand screw machines, horizontal and vertical boring mills, Landis, Norton, Brown & Sharpe grinding machines, toolmakers on jig and fixture work; to first-class workmen these are excellent prospects of steady employment. In replying state age, experience, and wages expected. Locomobile Company of America, Bridgeport, Conn.

MEN over 25 with some selling ability to represent large corporation locally; references, honesty, and hard work required; advancement to right men; inexperienced, with ambition trained. See Mr. Fricke, Room 601, 277 Broadway, New York City.

SECRETARY.—Young man with knowledge of bookkeeping; qualified to fill the position of private secretary; must furnish A1 reference as to honesty and fitness, stating experience, age and wages desired. Address P 296 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN, energetic, capable, experienced in meeting and interviewing business men, to carry on our plan of selling direct to the individual; we want a man who can work into a permanent, well-paying position; experience in our line not necessary. Call Rand McNally & Co., 42 East 22d St., New York City.

SALESMEN.—Large publishing house will employ on salary four salesmen familiar with Brooklyn; young college graduates preferred; write full particulars, giving references, Box 160 Times.

SALESMEN.—$2.50 will equip you with sample electric sidewalk advertiser, with flasher, $4; big profits; work where you please. Rex Ad-Lite Co., 136 Liberty St., Room 432.

SALESMAN for the West; reputable man only, with experience, to handle our line of popular priced dresses. Call personally, Bishop, 163 West 25th St.

SALESMAN wanted, experienced man, for Chinese and Japanese goods; wholesale house; state salary and commission. A 132 Times.

SALESMAN.—Experienced raincoat salesman, with established trade; none others need apply; liberal terms. R 75 Times.

SALESMAN, traveling West with men's hats, wanted to take a side line of fur caps. Apply ninth floor, 88 University Place.

SALESMAN wanted to sell $15,000 stock in medical company; liberal commission. Room 3, 6 3d Av., Brooklyn.

SALESMAN.—Traveling; side line of high-grade knitted neckwear. Stark Knitting Co., 18 West 27th St.

SALESMAN.—Experienced on ladies' neckwear; commission basis. United Neckwear, 9 Great Jones St.

SALESMAN for cloak and suit, passementerie or millinery braids. P 301 Times Downtown.

SOLICITOR.—An earnest, loyal churchman can secure a good income by taking subscriptions to an old-established National church weekly; practically the only one in its field; good commissions; guarantee of $20 per week to the right man. Write, giving full information and references, to R. M., 434 Lafayette St., New York City.

STENOGRAPHER.—About 18 years old; attend customers in store, keep record of stock, &c.; state salary and references. R 76 Times.

WANTED—First-class agency organizer, for territory covering 150 miles around New York; must have keen discernment for appointing local agents; good appearance with mechanical knowledge preferred, but not compulsory. Write, stating salary expected and reference, to Keen, B 25 Times.

WANTED—A salesman for kimonas in the city. Address Kassar Bros., 85 Washington St., city.

WANTED—Office boy; $6 per week; reply own handwriting. Address S 60 Times.

WE TRAIN ambitious, energetic men to meet selected people; dignified proposition, good income, exclusive territory; reliable company; generous treatment. Mr. Spain, 156 5th Av., Room 528.

For Sale

25 telephone booths; double sound-proof oak and mahogany; also 3 Directors' tables, several roll-top desks; office partitions. Budd & Co., 73 Spring St., near Subway Station.

Slightly used office furniture, safes, typewriters, adding machines, multigraph. Nathan's, West Broadway, corner White St.

Remington, No. 6, $15; Blickensderfer, No. 7, $12; perfect order. Jeweler, 283 42d St., near 8th Av.

Situations Wanted, Female

BOOKKEEPER.—Expert double entry; nine years' experience in responsible position; moderate methods; trial balance; pay roll; office details; salary, $20. B 34 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, typist; bright beginner; moderate salary. Intelligent, 1,731 Pitkin Av., Brooklyn, 'phone, 660—E. N. Y.

CHAMBERMAID, &c.—Danish girl as chambermaid or to take care of children; can play piano and sew beautifully; good education. Miss Ada Anderson, 127 Gordon St., Perth Amboy, N. J.

CHIC DRESS, up-to-date style, made in one day by fashionable dressmaker at your own home. A 125 Times.

HOUSEKEEPER.—Refined woman, widow, with child, desires position; good cook and manager; references. 285 St. Nicholas Av., Apartment 52. Telephone 4950 Morningside.

INFANT'S NURSE, with hospital training; English; references. B 10 Times.

REFINED woman takes in family washing; sanitary surroundings; no tenement; no children. B 22 Times.

SEAMSTRESS.—Out by day; $1.50; highest references. Miss Atwood, 131 West 13th St.

SECRETARY.—I am an unusually rapid-touch typewriter, accurate and quick in transcribing, possess the equivalent of a college education; an experienced, reliable secretary, of good address, with a knowledge of people and things; could make myself very valuable to right party. R 65 Times.

SECRETARY.—Graduate of U. S. School of Secretaries, (shorthand, typewriting, secretarial accounts, secretarial duties,) highly recommended, desires position. Miss O'B., Room 402, 509 5th Av. Telephone 5955 Bryant.

STENOGRAHER, typewriter; intelligent, energetic young lady; good references; salary reasonable. Stenographer, 39 Delancey St.

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITER, three years' experience, accurate, competent; best references; $10-$12. P 291 Times Downtown.

TRAINED NURSE will take chronic case or go as a traveling companion; doctors' and patients' references. Address B 28 Times.

TRAINED NURSE.—Mother's helper, or companion; city, country. L 804, Mechanics Bank Building, Brooklyn.

WIDOW as governess or companion; willing to travel; refined. Y 163 Times.

YOUNG WOMAN, having own home, would care for apartments few hours daily. Beader, 8 West 101st St.

Situations Wanted, Male

ACCOUNTANT.—Examines accounts, simplifies systems, keeps books written up, makes up profit-loss business statement. George Christie, Room 2,428 Park Row Building.

ACCOUNTANT.—Expert; books opened, closed, balanced, systematized, audited, written up; kept part time; reasonable. Accountant, 32 Union Square. 'Phone 2259—Stuyvesant.

ACCOUNTANT.—Expert; books opened; balanced; systems; arrangements with firms not employing bookkeepers; $2.50 weekly. Accountant, 57 Murray St. Tel. 5986—Barclay.

ACCOUNTANT.—Audits, adjusts, writes up books; $5 monthly; financial statements, systems; reasonable. Mitchel, 25 East 14th St. Telephone 1807 Stuyvesant.

ACCOUNTANT-BOOKKEEPER.—Special arrangement with firms not employing regular bookkeeper, very reasonable. A 123 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, (degree,) opens, closes, corporation, partnership, single proprietorship, books; moderate. P. O. Box 225, Madison Sq.

ACCOUNTANT.—Accounts examined, systematized, opened, closed, books balanced, financial statement; reasonable. S. R., 72 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, expert, opens, closes, balances books; systems installed; reasonable. Accountant, A 147 Times.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN of acknowledge ability wants position. A 128 Times.

ASSISTANT bookkeeper, knowledge of stenography and typewriting; beginner; willing to make himself generally useful. Honest, 1,731 Pitkin Av., Brooklyn.

BOOKKEEPER.—Knowledge of typewriting; bright young man, 17, willing worker. Make Good, 1,731 Pitkin Av., Brooklyn. Phone 660 E. N. Y.

BOOKKEEPER, 23, thoroughly experienced, well educated; monthly trial balances; highly indorsed. R 203 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT or accountant (21) desires position, factory or mercantile house; experienced. S 14 Times.

CASHIER, BOOKKEEPER.—Young man, 26, five years' experience, wishes position, preferably with banking or insurance house. Y 277 Times Downtown.

CREDIT MAN of experience with business and legal training; good collector, able and competent correspondent, good executive; has first class references; open for engagement. A. 120 Times.

MANUFACTURER'S ASSISTANT.—Able, dependable man, 38, with thorough knowledge of factory methods and systems seeks responsible position; can take full charge of orders and plan their prompt delivery; successful in handling help; able to manage and systematize order and shipping departments and relieve manufacturer of details; ten years' experience in silk mills. Y 155 Times.

MECHANIC, thoroughly experienced on automobiles; also lathe shaper; now employed. Louis, 203 East 48th St.

REAL ESTATE and insurance man, Irish-American, 35, familiar with all branches; requests interview with good firms requiring tactful perseverance backed up by 15 years' experience. R. E. 286 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, American, 35, agreeable, persistent; 15 years' selling and executive experience, New York and road. Now selling drug and grocery trade; want change with good firm. J. 285 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY, young man, 24, college graduate, expert stenographer and typist; several years business experience; would act as assistant to man of affairs, or in office, where future is assured when merit is proven. P 274 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, correspondent, (23,) experienced, thoroughly efficient; college graduate; references; moderate salary. Energetic, A 143 Times.

WELL EDUCATED young man, 22, thorough business training, energetic, capable, ambitious; references. A 87 Times.

YOUNG RUSSIAN, speaks Russian, German, and English, has knowledge of Russian railroad and custom tariffs, best references, seven years' business experience, desires evening engagement. P 208 Times Downtown.

YOUNG man, educated, studied law, desires position, reliable concern; excellent reference. Y 281 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 21; four years' business experience, desires position; chance advancement. P 299 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 24; thorough business training; capable, energetic, ambitious; well recommended. A 96 Times.

YOUNG MAN, ten years' office and selling experience, wishes position. Balance, 71 Greene Av., Brooklyn.

Situations Wanted

Employment Bureaus.

Commercial.

ACCOUNTANTS, BOOKKEEPERS, STENOGRAPHERS. High-Grade Office Helpers. Office Service Co., (Agency,) 149 B'way. Tel. 3499 Cort.

Domestic.

A. A. HOFMAYER, 320 5th Av. Telephone 4527 Madison Square.—Agency for superior domestic help; also waitresses and cooks for dinners, luncheons.

A.—A.—MRS. MALMBERG'S, 115 East 26th St.; oldest Swedish agency; established 1881; select servants for private families; formerly 352 4th Av.

BOND $1,000.—Old Dominion Agency, 88 West 134th St. Guarantee A1 colored help. 1119 Harlem.

COOK, chambermaid, houseworkers, firemen, elevator runners. Porter's Agency, 142 West 133d St. Telephone 94—Morningside.

COOK.—Neat colored girl, cook, general worker; city, country. Instant Relief Agency. 'Phone 7288 Morningside.

GENERAL HOUSEWORK.—Very neat, competent Irish girl; private house; good reference; $25. Wilson's Agency, 141 East 57th St.; telephone 2224 Plaza.

HOUSEWORK.—Several neat colored girls, experienced, with good references, want places small families; other good Southern help furnished. Lincoln Industrial Exchange, (Agency,) 371 West 59th St. 'Phone 4786 Columbus.

LAUNDRESS and chambermaid; neat young Irishwoman; 5 years' reference from last place. Wilson's Agency, 141 East 57th St. Telephone 2224 Plaza.

SELECT COLORED HELP furnished, short notice. Middlesex Employment Agency, 2,229 8th Av. Harlem—6870.

SHEPHERD EMPLOYMENT.—Help supplied; day, week, month; male, female. 107 West 133d St. 6916 Morn.

WAITRESS and CHAMBERMAID.—An exceptionally neat, competent young woman; good references; $25. Wilson's Agency, 141 East 57th St.; telephone 2224 Plaza.

Boarders Wanted

West Side.

19TH ST., 346 WEST.—Large rooms, suitable for two; business centre; good board; select house.

44TH ST., 260 WEST.—Alliance House, "Quiet Place for Quiet People"; single rooms, including board, $9 per week; use of bath; suites, consisting parlor, sleeping apartments, private bathroom; $30 up per week, including board for two; other double rooms; steam heated throughout; elevator service. 'Phone 793 Bryant.

48TH ST., 117 WEST.—Large, single rooms; private baths; house, table strictly first class; references.

53D ST., 57 WEST.—Attractive small, warm room, with excellent table, for gentlemen; accommodations for a few table guests; references.

54TH ST., 54 WEST.—Large and small rooms; first class; telephone; reference.

57TH, 411 WEST (La Grange).—Unequalled accommodations; double room; (board two,) $15; single $8; Southerners.

64TH ST., 115 WEST.—Large, pleasant room, suitable for one or two; excellent table; moderate.

69TH ST., 139 WEST.
MEALS; HOME COOKING.

120 WEST 71ST ST.
Attractive rooms; baths, electricity. Col. 1748.

72D ST., 159 WEST.—Large second-floor room; southern exposure; also hall room; board; references.

76TH ST., 110 WEST.—Unusually desirable accommodations, high-class house; modern conveniences; excellent table; table guests.

76TH ST., 113 WEST.—Large room, second floor, first-class house; parlor dining; table guests.

78TH ST., 164 WEST.—Nicely furnished hall room; excellent board; table board; reference.

76TH ST., 237 WEST.—Second floor front, large, sunny room; warm; excellent table; telephone; references.

76TH ST., 151 WEST.—Single room, adjoining bath; references.

80TH ST., 40 EAST.—Entire second floor; also other rooms; elevator; excellent board; reasonable.

81ST ST., 138 WEST.—Beautiful, comfortable rooms; excellent table; high-class Jewish house; table guests.

82D ST., 128 WEST.—Large rooms; private baths; steam heat; electric light; telephone; table board.

50-52 WEST 82D.
Attractive rooms; baths, electricity. 'Phone Schuyler 8397.

83D ST., 55 WEST.—Nicely furnished room, well heated, connecting bath; board optional; terms moderate.

84TH ST., 37 WEST.—Handsomely furnished suite; private bath; suitable two; excellent table; Jewish family.

87TH ST., 135 WEST.—In refined American home; large front room; southern exposure; suitable for two; superior table; electric lights; telephone; references.

94TH ST., 36 WEST.—Handsomely furnished front room for two; excellent cuisine; Jewish family; telephone.

95TH ST., 147 WEST.—Handsome inside room, $4; table guests, $6; parlor dining; private house.

(100TH ST.) 828 WEST END AV.—Large, attractive, front room; superior board; table guests.

104TH ST., 81 WEST.—Elegant room, bath, steam; excellent table; refined surroundings; table guests accommodated.

105TH, 76 WEST.—Good rooms, good table, good service, good company; special terms to acceptable permanent guests; vacancies rare; references; Southerners.

114TH, 526 WEST.—Front room, overlooking Columbia; exceptional table; table guests.

123D ST., 519 WEST.—Acropolis Hotel, near Riverside; single rooms, suites; board optional; reasonable rates.

129TH, 106 WEST.—Superior home and board; refined German-Jewish surroundings; references; moderate; gentlemen.

130TH, 209 WEST.—Large rooms, excellent meals; refined Jewish boarding house; telephone; near "L."

141ST ST., 527 WEST.—Attractively furnished rooms, bath adjoining; steam heat; telephone; references; table guests.

LA PORTE HOTEL, (117th St. and Amsterdam Av.)—First-class apartment hotel, elegant rooms, single, en suite; newly decorated; terms moderate; highest elevation in Manhattan; home cooking.

LARGE front room, with board; homelike; convenient "L." Telephone 7442 Riverside.

WEST END AV., 786.—Two minutes, Subway 96th St; lady and daughter having delightful home will let beautiful suite; private bath; two gentlemen; board optional.

WEST END AV., 986, (Corner 106th.)—Overlooking Hudson; all outside rooms; surroundings beautiful; private bath; exceptional cooking; beautiful dining room; moderate.

WEST END AV., 764, (97th St.)—Large and small rooms; modern conveniences; table board.

WASHINGTON TERRACE, 12, (186th St. near Audubon Av.)—Desirable rooms; excellent table; private house; moderate.

East Side.

21ST ST., 145 E., (Gramercy Park.)—Small room; excellent table; reference; telephone.

IRVING PLACE, 47.—Newly furnished, large and small rooms; excellent board; table guests; telephone.

IRVING PLACE, 71.—Large and small rooms, private baths; references. Telephone 1978—Gramercy.

Brooklyn.

5 MONTAGUE TERRACE HEIGHTS.—Family hotel; river view, Manhattan; most accessible locality Greater New York; Subway, 5 minutes Wall St. ferry, trolley, Bridge; connecting mansions, furnished, unfurnished; aristocratic neighborhood; table choicest products New York markets. 905 Main.

PIERREPONT ST., 76.—Best place to board; convenient New York; near all Subways, ferries; quiet, select; steam-heated rooms; excellent table. Telephone 1159W Main.

Board Wanted

BOARD and room wanted for middel aged lady with private family; convenient locality, Manhattan; $8 per week. A 149 Times.

MARRIED COUPLE desires nice room with board; Staten Island preferred. Y 164 Times.

Country Board

Long Island

DOUGLASTON.—Douglas Manor Inn; Winter rates; attractive, homelike; log fires; steam heat; easy commuting.

New Jersey.

Montclair, N. J.—The Oakdale, 271 Claremont Av.; rooms, large, handsomely furnished, steam heated, electric lights, table unsurpassed, 'Phone 2077.

East Orange—Attractive room; warm and comfortable; quiet, refined home; moderate rates; references. 31 Prospect St. Tel. 2966—J.

Furnished Rooms

West Side.

9TH ST., 41 WEST.—Large front room with large private bathroom; southern exposure; telephone; single room.

12TH ST., 61 WEST.—Beautifully furnished, newly decorated, exceptionally clean, bright rooms; telephone; single, $4.

22D ST., 307 WEST.—Parlor, $6.50; open fire place; newly decorated; nice, quiet, clean neighborhood.

34TH ST., 253 WEST.—Willina; steam heated front rooms; refined; reasonable.

36TH ST., 40 WEST.—Double, single rooms, closets, bath, running water; gentlemen; $3, $4.50.

37TH ST., 63 WEST.—Large and small room, with modern conveniences; Southerners accommodated; references.

42D ST., 322 WEST.—Handsomely furnished, heated rooms, tiled bath, $2 upward; gentlemen; references. Hughes.

45TH ST., 244 WEST.—Attractive room; warm and comfortable; abundant hot water; quiet, refined home; moderate rate; references exchanged.

46TH ST., 45 WEST.—FURNISHED ROOMS, GENTLEMEN; REFERENCES.

50TH, 51 WEST.—Private family; elegantly furnished large, sunny room; connecting bath; gentlemen.

57TH ST., 364 WEST.—Nicely furnished room, private bath, suitable for two.

59TH ST., 208 WEST.—Furnished rooms; all conveniences; electric light; $3.50 up; facing Central Park; room suitable for studio.

65TH ST., 21 WEST.—First flat, (west;) parlor, connecting bedroom; bath; heat; $6; another, $2.

68TH ST., 38 WEST.—Bachelor apartments; exquisitely kept; unrivaled service; absolutely private; every modern convenience; breakfast if desired; highest references only.

68TH ST., 105 WEST.—Exceptionally well kept, well furnished rooms one flight, $4 up. Conlon.

69TH ST., 65 WEST.—Medium sized room; private house; steam heat, electricity, hot water; 'phone.

70TH ST., 307 WEST.—Newly furnished room; running water, 'phone; private house; gentlemen only.

70TH ST., 138 WEST.—Attractive room; private bath; steam heat; with private family; gentleman.

106 WEST 71ST ST.
Nicely furnished rooms; board optional.

73D, 173 WEST.
Attractive rooms, first-class home; references.

76TH ST., 180 WEST.—Room; private bath; electricity; everything first-class; plenty hot water; references.

78TH ST., 112 WEST.—Desirable, sunny rooms; every convenience; accessible Subway, elevated; telephone; references; moderate.

78TH ST., 168 WEST.—Large room; all conveniences; private family; reasonable; board optional; Subway; 'phone.

80TH, 136 WEST.—Half block from Manhattan Park; refined surroundings; rooms well furnished; references.

80TH ST., 149 WEST.—Beautiful rooms, in private residence; exclusive. 'Phone 7514—Schuyler.

81ST ST., 200 WEST.—Handsomely furnished, large, sunny rooms, $3 up; telephone. Apt. B. Kells.

81ST ST., 120 WEST.—Well-furnished or unfurnished rooms, with board; beautiful parlor dining room.

82D ST., 47 WEST.—In clean, well-kept house, large and small comfortable rooms; reasonable.

82D ST., 115 WEST.—A large, handsomely furnished room; well heated; every convenience; telephone; reference.

84TH ST., 29 WEST.—Large, sunny room; refined, quiet apartment; would serve meals; telephone. Ochs.

85TH, 106 WEST.—Parlor floor for doctor; also one medium-sized room; all conveniences.

88TH ST., 69 WEST, Near Central Park.—Elegantly furnished suite, bath adjoining; every convenience. D'Eglise.

88TH, 183 WEST.—Hall bedroom; nicely furnished; private house; near Subway; gentleman; references; reasonable.

89TH ST., 73 WEST.—Handsome parlor bedroom; $10; two outside, $4-$6; board optional. McNearl.

91ST ST., 46 WEST.—Large, handsomely furnished rooms, southern exposure; telephone; conveniences; elevated, Subway; reasonable.

91ST ST., 64 WEST.—Handsomely furnished rooms; southern exposure; convenient "L" and Subway; references.

92D ST., 294 WEST.—Attractively furnished room; all conveniences; high-class apartment; for gentlemen.

93D, 119 WEST.—Large, sunny, handsomely furnished front room; private bath; private house; telephone.

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95TH ST., 201 WEST.—Attractive, sunny front room; bath, steam; suitable married couple or gentleman; home comfort; reasonable. A 144 Times.

97TH ST., West of Broadway.—Select suite; elevator apartment; every convenience. 6780 Riverside, Apartment 1 B.

97TH ST., 150 WEST.—Large and medium rooms; running water; southern exposure; Subway express. Owner.

97TH ST., 156 WEST.—Large, sunny room; running water; telephone; near Subway.

102D, 211 WEST.—Attractive, sunny corner room; small family; phone 2103 River; moderate. Benedict.

104TH ST., 64 WEST.—Comfortable room; steam heat; bath; private family; telephone; gentlemen. Eschenburg.

110TH ST., 237 WEST.—A suite of two rooms, facing Central Park; electric light; telephone; also other nice rooms with private bath; reasonable. Mrs. White, Park View Apartments.

111TH ST., 529 WEST.—Parlor bedroom, permanent gentleman preferred; private family of two; references. Moore.

113TH, 535 WEST.—A cheery, comfortable furnished room, all conveniences, $5. Apt. 61.

114TH, 622 WEST, (Riverside Drive.)—Beautiful suite; single room, exclusive; independent; gentlemen. Apt. 21.

115TH ST. (1115 Amsterdam.)—Comfortable room; all conveniences; opposite Columbia dormitory; lady, $3.50. Reynolds.

116TH ST. AND LENOX AV.—Florence Apartment; Subway express; newly furnished room, next shower bath; steam heat; 'phone, elevator. Bonis.

118TH, 421 WEST.—Private French family; light, clean room, $4; business gentleman preferred; references.

118TH ST., 414 WEST.—Attractive, large, small rooms; southern exposure; homelike; elevator; Subway. Smith.

417 WEST 118TH ST.
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Strictly modern; abundant heat and hot water.

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East Side.

15TH ST., 218 EAST.—Most desirable rooms; view Stuyvesant Park; references; telephone; steam heat; breakfast optional.

16TH ST., 132 EAST.—Elegantly furnished, large adjoining rooms; nice locality; steam heat; gentleman; references.

19TH, 126 EAST.—Handsomely furnished rooms; Subway and "L"; convenient; gentlemen; references. Apply Hardy.

28TH ST., 16 EAST.—Bachelor's quarters; swimming pool, showers, free; Zander apartments; from $5 week. Key.

29TH ST., 43 EAST.—Desirable rooms, large and small; private house; references.

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Large front room, unfurnished; north light; suitable for studio; near 5th Av. and 42d St.; references required. Address Box N 98 Times.

37TH ST., 128 EAST.—Three rooms and bath, fourth floor, $30; two large rooms and bath, third floor, $60.

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Furnished Rooms Wanted

Wanted—Two furnished rooms on west side in eighties or nineties for three people in private family; best reference. A. C. B., 45 Pine St., city.

Apartments to Let, Unfurnished

West Side.

507 West 140th St.—One six-room apartment left; every modern improvement; southern exposure; rent, $38, with concessions. Apply Janitor or Bert G. Faulhaber & Co., Broadway and 156th St.

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St. Regis Court, 3,675 Broadway.—5-room apartment to sublet, fifth floor, $45. Supt.

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Wanted—Modern apartment, 5 rooms and bath, between 23d St. and 66th St.; light rooms; large bedroom. Address W. M., R 77 Times.

Wanted—Elevator apartment, unfurnished, 4 or 5 rooms front, with improvements, between 50th and 96th Sts, $40. A 126 Times.

Apartments to Let, Furnished

Lady leaving town will sublet until October or sell outright at sacrifice, completely and tastefuly furnished apartment, 7 rooms, 2 baths; silver, china, glassware, linen, &c.; Oriental den; Steinway piano, if desired; in modern building, sixth floor; first-class neighborhood, near park; rent, unfurnished, $1,600; immediate possession; would exchange for equity in real estate; seen any time. The Glenmore, corner 7th Av., 55th St. 'Phone 358 Columbus.

141st St., 561 West.—Overlooking Hudson; five-room apartment; handsomely furnished; all mahogany; Oriental rugs, brass beds, china, linen. Apartment 105.

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3d Av., 131, (14th.)—Three rooms; first flight; complete housekeeping; $5.50; vestibule letter-box. Sherwood.

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Wanted—Apartment, single gentleman, two or three rooms, private bath; furnished or unfurnished; maid service, elevator; near Subway; first class. B 31 Times.

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Twenty-foot, four-story house; 10 rooms; 4 baths; electric light; parquet floors; business or residence.
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New and a few slightly used.
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Westchester.

Tuckahoe, N. Y.—Fine corner residence, best section, 50x100; convenient to station and trolleys; must be sold; value $7,200; will accept $6,000, and if not otherwise sold will accept best offer received before March 1. Kern, premises, or Tel. 376 Melrose.

Long Island.

Lady will sacrifice her bungalow on Peconic Bay, Southampton, L. I., on plot 80x100; $200 cash, balance to suit; splendid bathing, fishing, and motor-boating; title guaranteed; worth triple. Price $750. Friedlander, 112 East 23d St.

10 rooms, 2 bathrooms, strictly first-class, in residential park, $10,500. Get full particulars from Wallace-Appleton Co., Waldheim, Flushing, N. Y.

Cedarhurst North, 80x100; excellent location; restricted locality; $3,000 now, more later. S 12 Times.

New Jersey.

Special Winter prices on three attractive houses just completed in well-built-up town; near depot; all tunnel connections with up and down town New York; water, gas, electricity; one block from school; real bargains; $3,500, $4,000, $4,250; easy terms. Room 803, Singer Building, New York.

Village farm, 6 acres; house 10 rooms, bath; large barn, henneries; commuting distance; convenient; particulars; photos. Quackenbush, 165 Fulton St., New York.

At Summit and vicinity on Lackawanna, for property sale or rent see Hotchkiss-Jobs, Summit, N. J., and 30 Church St., New York.

Six-room house for sale or to rent. H. G. Gaunt, Park Av., Teaneck, N. J.

New York State.

Four-story double, just completed, all rented, showing 12 per cent. on investment; easy terms. Lowell Construction Co., 1,165 Broadway, New York.

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Furnished 10-room house for Winter months, on the Salts, ten miles by trolley from Savannah, Ga. Address L. N. Turner, 541 Lexington Av., New York City.

Results

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The New York Times:

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CONNOLLY TELLS WHY QUEENS NEEDS MONEY

Primarily for the Reason That the County Deserves It, Says the Borough President.

HAS FIGURES TO MAKE GOOD

Points to Great Increase in Property Valuation as an Excuse for Fairness and Liberality.

Borough President Maurice E. Connolly of Queens, who on Tuesday asked the Board of Estimate for $3,872,618.85 of corporate stock, to meet the immediate requirements of Queens, told a reporter for the TIMES yesterday why, in his opinion, this money should be granted without delay. His plea was not being made with tears in his eyes, he said, but was based on the undeniable fact that Queens County should have this money, primarily for the reason that the county deserved it, and not merely needed it.

"We've got the figures to make good," he said, as he instructed his secretary to get a number of tax books, "and we're going to get what we asked for or I'll be very much surprised.

"Look at this. The assessed valuation of all property in Queens in 1898, exclusive of the holdings of the quasi-public corporations, was only $103,752,600. In 1908 it had jumped to $296,458,980. But look at it in 1912. This year our assessed valuation, on the same basis, is $420,853,866. The rise in valuations in 1911, one single year, remember, was $105,000,000. Now look back to the total assessed valuation of all property in 1898 and you can see that one year's rise beats the total valuation fourteen years ago by about $3,000,000. That is why we deserve more money than we have been getting.

"Our taxes have grown out of all proportions. No other borough can show such an increase in property valuation as we showed in a single year, 1911. Therefore, it is clear to see, if they are going to be fair they must be liberal with us."

When asked to mention some of the greatest needs of the borough, President Connolly asked the reporter to look out of the office window in the "ramshackle" Queens Borough Hall, as he called it, and also to cast a few glances inside the Borough Hall itself.

"The first thing you see," he continued, "are the roads. First of all, we have asked for $750,000 for the repaving of thirteen streets. The biggest jobs in that line are Myrtle Avenue, from the Borough line to Cooper Avenue; Borden Avenue from Front Street to Bradley Avenue; Steinway Avenue, from Jackson Avenue to Flushing Avenue; Vernon Avenue and Thompson Boulevard, from Borden Avenue to Fulton Avenue, and Broadway, from Vernon Avenue to Newtown Road. Its a big job and we need the money. We Queens people only furnish one-tenth of the traffic in this borough. Ninety per cent. is furnished by outsiders and the city ought to pay for it.

"But the biggest thing we need is $1,500,000 for the paving of other city highways in our borough. Altogether there are 122 miles of these highways which must be torn up. Macadam roads are all right for market trucks but we're in the automobile truck stage now, the up-to-date twenty-five mile per hour transportation. The pavement on the twenty-two miles of the stretch will cost $40,000 a mile; there should be one hundred miles of bithulitic concrete at $13,700. Fortunately we have available for this purpose $750,000 which is now tied up by injunction proceedings and by subtracting this, we still need the million and a half. Why, think of it! We've got 1,000 miles of roads in this borough, enough to stretch from Montauk Point to one hundred miles west of Chicago. Borough President McAneny got two millions last year just for repairing the streets in New York County."

"We have also asked for a floating bath for College Point, to cost $20,000; we must have property and buildings for a General Corporation Yard, and this will cost $125,000. The Topographical Bureau needs $231,000 to continue its work. We need a site for the interior bath in Ridgewood, for which provision has already been made, and this will cost $15,000. A site for a public comfort station in the same village will cost $6,000 more.

"And last of all, we need a new Borough Hall and want $500,000 to give us a start.

MAJOR WRIGHT'S UNCLE DIES.

Capt. Semmes's Death Hastened by Harahan's Wreck Tragedy.

Special to The New York Times.

OSCEOLA, Ark., Jan. 24.—His death hastened, friends and relatives assert, by the untimely death of Major Eldridge E. Wright, a nephew, Capt. Samuel Spencer Semmes, son of Admiral Raphael Semmes of the Confederate Navy, died this morning at his home in this city.

Major Wright met his death at Kinmundy, Ill., when J. T. Harahan, Frank O. Melcher, and E. S. Pierce were killed in a wreck. Capt. Semmes was a brother of Mrs. Luke E. Wright, wife of the former Secretary of War, and mother of Major E. E. Wright. Capt. Semmes had a brilliant war record under Gen. Bragg in the Confederate Army. He had been engaged in active law practice for fifty years. He was 73 years old.

COL. ASTOR AND WIFE SAIL.

Will Make Nile Trip and Cross Soudan Desert to Khartoum.

Col. John Jacob Astor sailed yesterday with his young bride on the White Star liner Olympic for Cherbourg, where he will land and travel to Paris on Jan. 30. From the French capital Col. and Mrs. Astor will go to Nice in a private car attached to the train de luxe. They are scheduled to reach Nice on Feb. 4, and sail the same afternoon on the Cunard liner Franconia from Villefranche for Alexandria, Egypt, arriving on Feb. 8. Col. Astor has engaged a new dahabeah, the Chonsu, said to be one of the finest vessels on the Nile, and will go up as far as Wadi-Halfa on the Second Cataract and back. While the dahabeah is at Halfa Col. Astor and Mrs. Astor will travel by the sleeping car train de luxe over the Soudan desert to Khartoum.

Col. Astor looked very well yesterday on board the Olympic, and had a number of friends to see his wife and himself away, including Mrs. Force and Count Alfred Mongelas, who acted as first aid to friends of the Astors who could not find them in the crush on the steamship's decks and cabins.

DENIAL FROM TENOR BONCI.

He Did Not Say "Caruso Screams, But I Sing."

By Telegraph to the Editor of THE TIMES.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 24.—"My quotation on Caruso is nothing but an invention by reporters who are hunting for sensational news and scandals. I simply said that Caruso devotes himself to dramatic rôles and I to lyric ones.

"I believe misstatement has been made with deliberate purpose to make trouble and I sincerely regret the incident.

"BONCI."

In the dispatch from St. Louis Bonci was alleged to have said: "Caruso screams, but I sing."

PIANO ORGAN IN A PARADE.

Woman's Political Union to Advertise Big Ball in This Manner.

The hurdy-gurdy procession to-day in the interest of the big ball to be given by the Women's Political Union on Feb. 8 at the Murray Hill Lyceum, will start at 3:30 o'clock from the Union Headquarters, 46 East Twenty-ninth Street.

An Italian woman whose name no one knows is to conduct personally the hand-organ which the women will cover with the bills and banners. Mrs. Stanton Blatch, Miss Eleanor Brannon, and Mrs. John Rogers, Jr., will assist and give out other bills of the ball up Third Avenue and adjoining streets.

BRANDT SEEKS A PARDON.

Dix Orders Inquiry Into Case of Mortimer L. Schiff's Assailant.

A letter to Gov. Dix pleading for the pardon of Foulke Engle Brandt, now serving a thirty-year sentence for burglary in the first degree in the State prison at Dannemora, has prompted the Governor to ask District Attorney Whitman to undertake a personal investigation into the circumstances of Brandt's arrest and sentence.

The prisoner was accused of entering the Fifth Avenue home of Mortimer L. Schiff, son of Jacob H. Schiff, on the night of March 8, 1907, for the purpose of robbery. Mr. Schiff detected him, and was assaulted by Brandt, who made his escape. A few days later Brandt called at Mr. Schiff's office and was arrested. On March 28 Brandt pleaded guilty to an indictment charging him with robbery in the first degree, and was sentenced on April 4 by Judge Rosalsky. That is as far as the court records go.

Brandt had been Mr. Schiff's valet. He had gone to the Schiff home from another employer, who had recommended him as an excellent servant. After a time Mr. Schiff dismissed him.

Carl Fischer Hansen and a lawyer named Baylies were engaged to defend Brandt after his arrest. When Brandt pleaded guilty Judge Rosalsky warned him of the enormity of the crime to which he had confessed and asked him:

"Do you know that I can sentence you to State's prison for life?"

Brandt replied that he understood, but Judge Rosalsky was not satisfied, and had him examined by Drs. MacDonald and Mabon, who pronounced him sane. The sentence was imposed and Brandt was taken to prison.

Since then Brandt has said that he had been assured that if he pleaded guilty he would not get more than one year in prison, or, if he got a heavier sentence, sufficient influence would be brought to bear on his behalf to obtain a speedy pardon. Once Brandt denied that he had stolen any jewelry, but Judge Rosalsky said yesterday that Lawyer Hansen had returned two diamond pins stolen on the night he attacked Mr. Schiff.

It came out while the case was pending that Brandt, when seventeen years old, had been guilty of a crime in his native city of Stockholm, Sweden, and that after he came to this country he had forged the name of Alfred J. Kull of New Jersey to a check. For this he was not prosecuted.

After Brandt's conviction, Howard S. Gans, who was an Assistant District Attorney in 1907, and who is now the lawyer for Mr. Schiff, wrote to John A. Henneberry, Chief Clerk of the District Attorney's office, asking to be informed if ever clemency should be asked for Brandt. The reason given for the request was that some future District Attorney might not be fully cognizant of the details of the case.

To a reporter of THE TIMES Mr. Schiff said yesterday:

"All you may quote me for is that the case of Brandt has passed through the various courts on four different occasions and each one of them believed him to be guilty of the crime for which he is now undergoing punishment."

Judge Rosalsky said yesterday:

"At the time the Brandt case came before the court the city was suffering from a wave of crime and the Grand Jury had called the attention of the public to the fact that the Judges were not sufficiently severe or that the laws ought to be amended so that heavier sentences could be imposed. I have always inflicted heavy penalties for such crimes as the one to which Brandt confessed. Look over my record and you will see that this is true. If there was any arrangement by which Brandt should receive a light sentence, I knew nothing of it, and, of course, I could not possibly have been a party to it. Brandt confessed to the crime, and even after I warned him of the seriousness of his offense and the heavy punishment I could sentence him to he still adhered to his confession."

AFTER THAT $20,000 PICTURE.

Irato Gets Writ for Painting He Says Was Only Loaned to Employer.

Deputy Sheriff Murray has received a writ of replevin against Julius Winter, a piano manufacturer at 137th Street and Southern Boulevard, and William Heller, in favor of Francesco Irato, as administrator of the estate of his wife, Carmela Irato, to recover a painting said to be by Manci Domenica, and worth $20,000. The Sheriff has obtained possession of the painting.

The work is called "Holy Family," and is declared to have been painted in 1754. It was brought to Winter's office by Mrs. Irato several years ago, shortly after Irato had been given employment in Winter's factory. Irato asserts that the painting was loaned, while Winter says it was a gift.

Irato was first told of the value of the painting while in Italy some time ago. He found its description and valuation in Lucco Santo's "Noted Painters," and upon returning home demanded it back from Winter. The painting is in a small brass plate, 8¾ by 6¾ inches. According to Irato's counsel it was an heirloom of the family of Irato's wife, having come from the estate of an uncle, Antonia Garful, once a priest of the Church of San Giachino at Messina.

WABASH NEEDS $10,000,000.

Receivers to Issue Certificates for Equipment and Trackage.

Special to The New York Times.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 24.—Receivers Delano, Pryor, and Bixby of the Wabash Railroad Company will apply shortly to Judge Elmer B. Adams of the United States District Court for permission to issue $10,000,000 of receivers' certificates. The issue is to provide for needed equipment and increased track facilities.

F. A. Delano former President of the road, is now in New York arranging for the issue with the Reorganization Protective Committees. It is understood that the certificates are to be sold with the consent of the trustee of the refunding mortgage and the proceeds turned over to the Pierce Committee and the receivers.

Among financiers it is declared that probably $20,000,000 ultimately will be needed to enable the Wabash to take advantage of its opportunities.

J. C. Stubbs, who was sent out by the Pierce Committee to study the traffic side of the Wabash, is expected to return to New York to-morrow. General Manager Henry Miller, who accompanied Mr. Stubbs over the Western line, will return to St. Louis.

MRS. E. C. CONVERSE ILL.

An Operation for Appendicitis Will Be Performed To-day.

Mrs. Edmund C. Converse, wife of the Vice President of the United States Steel Corporation, is ill with appendicitis at the St. Regis Hotel, where she will be operated on this morning.

Mrs. Converse was taken ill at her home at Greenwich on Friday night last and the attack led to the necessity for to-day's operation. It was stated last night at the Converse home, however, that the case was not considered serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Converse, Mrs. J. B. Converse and Miss Spencer were to have sailed for Europe yesterday upon the Cedric, but the trip had to be abandoned.

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PRISON TERM FOR ATLANTIC CITY BOSS

Court Imposes Year's Sentence on Republican Leader Kuehnle for Grafting.

JUDGE REFUSES CLEMENCY

Three Kuehnle Lieutenants Also Get Year Jail Term—All Free Pending Higher Court's Decision.

Special to The New York Times.

MAY'S LANDING, N. J., Jan. 24.—State prison terms were meted out today by Justice Samuel Kalisch of the New Jersey Supreme Court to Louis Kuehnle, boss of the Atlantic City Republican machine, and three of his lieutenants, County Engineer E. D. Rightmire, and Freeholders Frank Enderlin and John Unsworth, all recently convicted on graft charges, while two others, Thomas McDevitt and George Amole, who paid off election repeaters for the machine, were given six and three months, respectively, in the county jail. Appeals were taken, and the prisoners were allowed their liberty under heavy bonds, pending decisions by the higher courts.

Boss Kuehnle was sentenced to one year at hard labor and to pay a $1,000 fine for illegal participation in a contract for a water main, awarded by the Board of Water Commissioners, of which he was a member, to F. S. Lockwood, a dummy for the United Paving Company, in which Kuehnle held stock.

County Engineer Rightmire and Freeholders Unsworth and Enderlin were sentenced to terms of one year each for taking graft from Contractors James Parker and Elmer King before they would approve payment for the Cologne-Port Republica Boulevard. Amole and McDevitt were found guilty of paying several hundred voters at a general election. Freeholder Harry May, convicted with the others, was not sentenced because of the recent death of his wife, but will be arraigned next Wednesday. All of the men, except Boss Kuehnle, are married.

Prison Terms a Surprise.

The terms of imprisonment were a complete surprise, nothing more than fines being anticipated.

Petitions signed by hundreds of prominent citizens were presented on behalf of Kuehnle, Amole, and McDevitt, and the court received scores of private letters asking for clemency. The Court House was crowded to the doors with big and little politicians and reformers. Before passing sentence on Kuehnle the court in part said:

"You stand convicted in this court of the offense of having been unlawfully concerned in a contract made by the Board of Water Commissioners of Atlantic City, of which board you were then a member and its presiding officer, and the United Paving Company, a corporation in which company you were then a stockholder.

"I have been earnestly importuned by many influential and highly respected citizens of this county and elsewhere to exercise clemency in your case and to punish you by the imposition of a fine.

"The jury which convicted you recommended you to the mercy of the Court. I have given all these matters due reflection and weight.

"If the contract had been made openly and under an honest impression and belief that it did not apply to stockholders of a corporation who were holding public office, dealing with the corporation in which they were stockholders, an entirely different case for clemency from the one under consideration would have presented itself.

Fine Not Enough, Says Judge.

"It has been argued with great earnestness that your consideration and standing in the community have been and are such that the conviction in itself is condign punishment, and therefore the infliction of a fine will satisfy the ends of justice. If the sole aim of the law was to punish the offender the reason advanced would have great weight with me. But the punishment of the offender is not the only purpose the law endeavors to achieve. Its main purpose is to prevent crime. It is the deterrent effect which the certainty of punishment, not the severity of it, will have upon others with which the law is mainly concerned. And this is the basis of the duty which I am called upon to perform."

During the recital Boss Kuehnle never moved, and when sentence was pronounced he showed no outward signs of emotion whatever. He shortly afterward left the courtroom surrounded by friends, and departed in an automobile for the seashore.

Justice Kalisch also refused the application to-day made for a new trial in the Freeholders' and County Engineer's case. He informed Prosecutor Hampton J. Fithian of Cape May County, who is counsel for the Freeholders, that he had examined the affidavit setting forth the reasons for new trials, and did not consider them sufficient.

VICTIMIZED, WOMAN CHARGES

Has Head of Realty Concern Arrested for $2,000 Fraud.

Special to The New York Times.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Jan. 24.—Charged with obtaining $2,000 by fraud, Edward J. Post of this city, head of the Associated Realty Company of 286 Fifth Avenue, New York, was arrested here on the theatre train this morning, on complaint of Mrs. Lillian McCandless of Boston.

Mrs. McCandless declares in a voluminous affidavit in the possession of her counsel, Charles E. Cook of this city, that Post not only has robbed her of $2,000, but that when she asked him for security for the loans he induced her, through fraud, to sign a contract obligating her to buy $50,000 worth of property, which he said was part of his holdings in the West, worth $1,000,000. This contract, made out in triplicate, Mr. Cook obtained in a raid with Central Office men on the Fifth Avenue offices on Monday night.

Mrs. McCandless is said to be wealthy. Her affidavit sets forth that she was introduced to Post by a New York clergyman. Post was said to be a man of wealth and prominence in the real estate field. He said his father was wealthy, and that his mother had just died naming him sole heir to an estate worth $100,000.

According to other affidavits which Mr. Cook has collected, other women have accused Post. Post courted his stenographer, it appears from an affidavit, and became engaged to her. He induced her to raise funds for him.

Post was taken before Supreme Court Commissioner Rulif V. Lawrence here and held in $4,000 bail. The action is taken on a special Supreme Court order. Post's sister-in-law, Miss Anna E. Terrill, became his surety.

HICCOUGHED 17 DAYS.

Girl Has Recurrence of Attack After Temporary Relief.

Special to The New York Times.

CAMDEN, N. J., Jan. 24.—Miss Mary Shinn of 125 North Twenty-fourth Street, who had been hiccoughing continually for seventeen days until Monday evening, when she got relief, to-night suddenly had a recurrence of her attack and according to Dr. W. H. Kensinger, who is in attendance, this was brought on by innumerable cure suggestions, which have been coming to her home in such quantities that the Camden Postmaster is thinking of putting an extra postman on the route.

Dr. Kensinger on Tuesday night thought he had the trouble well in hand. The young woman stopped her hiccoughs and improved so much that she was able to be around the house on Wednesday. To-night, while sitting at the supper table, the hiccoughs suddenly started again. This time they are worse, if possible, than in the last attack.

Weber and Heilbroner
Announce their Half-Yearly Sale of
"ONYX" HOSIERY
AT 29 CENTS A PAIR
regular 50 cent quality, consisting of plain blacks, solid colors, silk and lisle mixtures and embroidered figures and striped effects.
AT 69 CENTS A PAIR
regular $1 quality, of pure thread silk, in black and plain colors—made with lisle soles.
AT $1.35 A PAIR
regular $2 quality. Best grade of pure thread silk, in plain black and solid colors—for both evening and day wear.
We have always found that "ONYX" Hosiery in its different grades, represents the utmost value at its full prices. Being the largest New York distributers of this hosiery for men we have had an opportunity to judge.
These sale prices present an unusual chance of securing more than you are paying for.
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241 Broadway 757 Broadway 1185 Broadway 42d and Fifth Avenue
The regular patrons of our store at 27 New Street, which is temporarily closed because of fire, will find that charge accounts have been opened for them at all our other shops.

HUSTLE FOR NEW YORK NOW.

Was the Slogan Advanced at the Building Trades' Banquet.

The annual dinner of the Building Trades Employers' Association meant the gathering of 500 men at the Waldorf last evening, where the guests of honor were C. Grant La Farge, Francis A. Howland, Vice President Marble of the Merchants' Association, Alexander Mackintosh, Tenement Commissioner Murphy, President Sass of the New York Society of Architects, President Strong of the City Club, and the five Superintendents of buildings in the five boroughs.

President Benjamin D. Traitel presided, and in the course of his opening speech suggested, among other things, that it might not be a bad idea for employers to forestall strikes by shutting down in unison all around. He was inclined to think that one or two such lessons would have a salutary effect.

Mr. Marble spoke with regret of the booming and boosting activities of such cities as Boston, as compared with the inactivity of New York. He said that the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association had decided to do some of that work themselves and the motto would be "Hustle for Greater New York Now." Mr. Murphy paid his compliments to the present tax system as one which "penalizes improvements and rewards inactivity" and Mr. La Farge put down the coming building code in his list of great beginnings. He said that the one now being prepared gave evidence of being so thoroughly satisfactory that any hostility which might show itself could safely be attributed to an axe to grind. A vaudeville troupe ended the evening with merriment.

PONY WITH RABIES IS SHOT.

Champion, $4,000 Polo Pony, Develops Disease from Bite of Stray Dog.

Special to The New York Times.

WESTBURY, L. I., Jan. 24.—Champion, an imported English polo pony, which was used in the international polo match last Fall, was ordered shot today by its owner, John S. Phipps, when it developed signs of rabies. The pony is the third valuable horse which Mr. Phipps has lost in the last few days, the others being Gay Boy, also a polo pony, and a brood mare. Champion was valued at $4,000.

The pony was one of those which were in a field on Mr. Phipps's place some time ago when a stray dog wandered into the field and bit several of the animals. It is feared the dog bit them all. Nine horses were inoculated with serum in the hope that rabies would be warded off, but now that three have had to be killed there is little hope that the others can be saved.

State Veterinarian Wills sent word to Sheriff Charles Demott to-day that the quarantine on dogs which has been in existence in Oyster Bay since last Spring and in which 200-odd dogs were killed, is now lifted, and it is expected that one will be placed on North Hempstead immediately. The local Board of Health was prepared to take charge of the matter, but the State authorities have notified the town that they will conduct the work, and all dogs not leashed when in the streets will be killed.

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THE CHARITY BALL for the N. Y. Nursery and Child's Hospital will take place on Tuesday evening, February 6, at the Waldorf-Astoria. Boxes to be had at 55 East 37th St. Tickets at 2 East 64th St., 35 East 37th St., 22 Riverside Drive, 16 West 11th St. The Guaranty Trust Co., 5th Av. and 43d St.
GRAND BALL ROOM, WALDORF-ASTORIA, January 25th, 8:30 P. M. VASSAR STUDENTS' AID SOCIETY Ellis Parker Butler, Edward Peple, Gale Young Rice, Mary Austin, Burges Johnson, James Barnes Wells, Annie Louise David, Flora Schwab. Tickets at special booth at Waldorf.
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THIS EVE., THURS., at 8:30 P. M., EDITH REUMERT Masonic Hall, 46 W. 24th St. of Royal Theatre, Copenhagen. Readings from Andersen's fairy tales in English, assisted by ELSA KELLNER, Soprano Tickets $1, at Hall. Mgt. M. H. Hanson.
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DR. DANIEL A. HUEBSCH WILL LECTURE on the Six Masters—Leonardo, Raphael, Michelangelo, Duerer, Rembrandt, Rodin—Thursday mornings, beginning Jan. 25. Lantern slides. Ticket $6, at 1 East 40th St.